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NURSE GUILTY OF A&E RAPES

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A NURSE caught spying on and recording women changing at Abingdon's White Horse Leisure Centre was later found to have raped two unconscious women at Oxford's John Radcliffe Hospital.

Andrew Hutchinson, 29, of Garford near Abingdon, pleaded guilty at Oxford Crown Court on Monday morning to a list of 27 charges against 29 different women and girls – 18 of whom police are unable to identify.

He had initially been arrested for voyeurism at the leisure centre in Audlett Drive after a victim reported being watched.

It was then that a police investigation uncovered the extent of his crimes.

They included raping two patients – aged 18 and 35 – who did not realise they had been attacked until police told them.

The crimes were committed at the hospital, leisure centre, the medical tent of Oxfordshire's Wilderness Festival where he volunteered, and an address near Abingdon.

Officers arrested him on suspicion of voyeurism in November 2013 and seized his camera, mobile phone, memory stick and computer equipment – which revealed the extra offences.

Senior Investigating Officer, Detective Chief Inspector Mark Johns of Thames Valley Police CID said: "I am pleased Hutchinson has pleaded guilty to his offences and spared his victims having to endure a trial to receive justice.

"This has been a complicated and unusual case as the victims of his sex offences were not aware that offences took place because they were not conscious."

Hutchinson, dressed in a grey suit, appeared calm as he repeatedly said 'guilty' to each charge as it was read out.

He was remanded in custody after the 30-minute hearing and is due to be sentenced at Oxford Crown Court on April 27.

He was first charged on December 5, 2014, before being charged with further offences on January 30 this year.

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• *Andrew Hutchinson spied on and recorded victims at the White Horse Leisure Centre in Abingdon*

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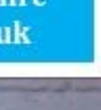

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Police reopen murder case after 20 years

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EXACTLY 20 years ago on Monday two young children arrived home from school to discover their mum had been strangled to death.

Nasreen Akhtar's murderer was never found – prompting police to re-open the investigation in a bid to track down the killer.

The 29-year-old mum-of-four was found in the living room of her home in Cobden Crescent by her two youngest children.

The eight and nine-year-olds got home from St Ebbes School at about 3.05pm on March 30, 1995.

Mrs Akhtar's son Imran Khan said: "Our mother was a nice, gentle lady who loved her family and lived for her children.

"Her death shattered the family and continues to do so.

"What has made it harder is that the killer remains unpunished, so we're appealing directly to the people of Oxford to come forward with any information."

Mrs Akhtar walked her children to St Ebbes School on the morning of her death, and after stopping to visit a friend in Marlborough Road, returned home at around 9.15am.

A refuse collector noticed the back door to the house open at around 10.25am, and at Midday a woman visiting Mrs Akhtar found there was no reply after knocking on the front door.

At around 3.05pm her two youngest children, aged eight and nine, returned home to find their mum's body in the living room.

Paramedics declared Mrs Akhtar died at the scene and a post mortem found she died from strangulation.

A video recorder was missing from the living room but otherwise the house was undisturbed.

Peter Beirne, head of Thames Valley Police's major crime investigation review team, said: "Today marks the twentieth anniversary of Mrs Akhtar's death at her home in Oxford.

"Despite a thorough and professional investigation, the offence remains undetected.

"Nasreen's death left four children without a mother, two of whom found her body in their family home, and her death took a young woman from all of her family and friends.

"We are now in the process of starting a review in to the case and today I ask that anyone who has any information about Nasreen's murder to come forward. We are approaching this enquiry with an open mind."

Call 101 with information.

Man found in river was due to be sentenced

THE body of a man found in the River Thames in Oxford last week is believed to be that of a former Norfolk headteacher who had been found guilty of historic sexual offences against his pupils.

David Tuohy, 83, of White House Road in Oxford, had been due to appear at Norwich Crown Court on Monday for sentencing.

Police found Tuohy's body in the river close to Osney Lock after it was reported by a member of the public at around 6pm on March 24.

Divers brought the body out of the river, and Tuohy was declared dead at the scene.

Police are not treating his death as suspicious.

Tuohy had been found guilty of 15 counts of indecent assault on five male victims while he was in charge of Eccles Hall School in Quidenham, Norfolk, in the 1970s.

He had pleaded not guilty to all counts, but was convicted following a nine-day trial in Norwich that ended on February 12.

Speaking after the trial's conclusion, Detective Constable Faith Morris of Norfolk Constabulary's Child Abuse Investigation Unit said: "Tuohy used a position of absolute trust to abuse his victims and commit a string of offences."

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Project funds

OXFORD: A pilot project which has been supporting victims of slavery and exploitation in Oxford looks set to continue for a minimum of four more years.

Elmore Community Services received funding from the police and crime commissioner Anthony Stansfeld last year to start it up.

And following a successful first year, Mr Stansfeld announced that it had been awarded almost £450,000 from the Police Innovation Fund to keep it running for another four years.

He said: "It has quickly become apparent how valuable this service is in supporting victims of slavery and exploitation and I am delighted that I can continue to support it in the future."

Alice Copping, CEO of Elmore Community Services, added: "This funding means that Elmore's independent trauma advisers can continue, and expand, the essential work that we have been doing over the past year."

Fake 999 calls

WOODCOTE: A 47-year-old man has been given a suspended prison sentence after he was found guilty of making inappropriate phone calls to police.

Michael Bourke, of Reading Road, was found guilty at Oxford Magistrates' Court on March 23 and given an eight week sentence, suspended for a year.

On October 28 last year Bourke was issued with an ASBO preventing him from making unnecessary calls to the emergency services, and from using offensive or abusive language in calls.

But he breached the ASBO between January 8 and 9 this year after police deemed his calls inappropriate.

Body yet to be identified

POLICE are still working to identify the body of a woman who was found in the River Thames near Weirs Lane last Friday.

At 2.45pm a member of the public reported seeing what looked like a person in the river, which officers discovered was the body of a woman.

It comes after police divers searched the River Thames on two occasions last month in relation to the disappearance of missing Oxford woman Emily Stiff (pictured).

Emily, 22, was last seen at around 11am on February 24 in the Botley area.

Officers are using dental records to try and establish the identity of the woman's body, a process which could be completed this week.

The death is being treated as unexplained, but is not believed to be suspicious.

Didcot £50m Orchard Centre plans submitted

THE second phase of development on Didcot's Orchard Centre could be completed by the end of next year.

Developers Hammerson have submitted their plans for a £50million expansion of the shopping centre to South Oxfordshire District Council.

A consultation on the planning application launched last week.

A total of 24 shops, six restaurants, a gym and 105 parking spaces have been put forward in the proposals.

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A Marks & Spencer food hall was announced as the anchor store last year.

It would also see a branch of Station Road, which is currently a dead end at the Cornerstone Arts Centre, reopened as a two-way route for buses as the current stops on High Street would have to be relocated.

Russell Beresford, development manager for Hammerson, said: "Submission of our proposals for the expansion of the Orchard Centre marks an important step in the development process.

"The first phase has been a great success and, encouraged by the level of local support we have received, we are looking forward to continuing to support investment and growth in Didcot in the years to come."

The plans come 10 years after the first phase of development was completed – which also cost £50m.

A decision is expected to be made by SODC's planning committee in June.

Bill Service, SODC's cabinet member for Didcot, said: "It's going to make Didcot a complete shopping experience.

"That's the problem we've been having with getting people to buy housing, whilst they like the houses, they don't like the shopping so we've tried to address that.

"I think to get M&S is a huge success with the food shopping, and maybe they will then change their minds [and bring in M&S clothes shopping] in the future, who knows.

"My one concern is with the plan to use Station Road as a bus route, and I know there's a petition ongoing at the moment online to try and get the developers not to go forward with that."

The consultation runs until April 22.

• *An artist's impression of how phase two of Didcot's Orchard Centre could look*

JR nurse admits 27 charges

• *From front page*

Hutchinson admitted one count of voyeurism and one count of outraging public decency at the hospital (pictured) in March 2012 and July 2012 respectively.

As well as 11 more charges of voyeurism – mostly at Abingdon's leisure centre between January 2013 and December 2014.

One voyeurism victim was 10-years-old – and 18 could not be identified.

In August 2013, Hutchinson also sexually assaulted two women aged 21 and 24 at the Wilderness Festival at Cornbury Park while he was volunteering there as a nurse.

He also pleaded guilty to making more than 1,800 indecent images of children, stealing a hospital nasopharyngoscope – a nasal camera – and to stealing and possession of ketamine.

Mark Power, director of workforce at Oxford University Hospitals NHS Trust, said: "Our thoughts are with the victims, whose trust was so betrayed in our hospital and elsewhere.

"We have been shocked and horrified by the behaviour of this individual, who so badly let down both the patients he was entrusted to care and his fellow colleagues.

"He totally failed in his professional duties and responsibilities as a nurse.

"I would wish to reassure members of the public that the welfare and safety of our patients is always our first priority."

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Shopping fire

BICESTER: More than 20 fire fighters battled a large blaze at Bicester Village which shut the designer shopping centre yesterday morning.

Fire fighters were called to a blaze at Carluccio's restaurant at 8.40am.

Shoppers caught plumes of smoke from the fire on cameras.

Mollie Hawkes took the photo below and tweeted: "We just drove all the way to Bicester Village and it's on fire so we can't even shop."

Oxfordshire Fire and Rescue Service spokesman Marcus Mabberley said so far there is no indication of what caused the fire.

No-one was injured.

Missing dog

BURFORD: Owners of a black Staffie dog are offering a "substantial reward" to the person who helps bring her home.

Dora, a Staffordshire Bull Terrier with a white neck, was last seen on the A361 between Burford and Lechlade on March 26.

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Four charged after Oxford slavery raids

FOUR people have been charged with slavery and fraud following police raids at a caravan site in Oxford and addresses in Rose Hill and Blackbird Leys last Thursday.

Christopher Joyce, 81, Mary Joyce, 59, Timothy Joyce, 44, and Helen Collins, 44, all of Redbridge Hollow, were among 12 who were arrested in the raids.

Officers conducted search warrants in Redbridge Hollow, Hinksey Hill and properties in Blackbird Leys and Rose Hill as part of Operation Rague at 6am on Thursday morning.

A number of victims – which police have yet to confirm – are being cared for by health services and local authorities.

Collins appeared at Oxford Magistrates' Court last Friday and Timothy Joyce appeared on Saturday.

Both are due at Oxford Crown Court for trial on April 17.

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Christopher Joyce and Mary Joyce appeared at magistrates' court on Tuesday, and were released on bail to appear at crown court, again on April 17.

Thames Valley Police superintendent Andy Boyd, area commander for South and Vale, said: "I would like to thank residents for their co-operation and patience while we continue to carry out enquiries in relation to these alleged offences."

He continued: "Our priority at this time is to work with our partners in the local councils and the health service to protect victims of human exploitation and slavery, prevent any further offences and carry out a thorough investigation.

"We understand that some people may have been afraid to report these matters but the police action today demonstrates our commitment to tackling these offences and will enable any other potential victims to come forward."

Anyone with information is asked to call police on 101 or Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555111.

Police arrests in Operation Rague:

Helen Collins, charged with:
- One count of conspiracy to defraud
- One count of conspiracy to hold another person in slavery/servitude
- One count of conspiracy to require another person to perform forced/compulsory labour

Timothy Joyce, charged with:
- One count of conspiracy to hold another person in servitude
- One count of conspiracy to require another person to perform forced/compulsory labour
- Two counts of harassment
- Two counts of knowingly requiring another person to perform forced/compulsory labour
- Two counts of assault occasioning actual bodily harm
- One count of assault by beating
- Four counts of making threats to kill
- One count of affray
- One count of blackmail
- Four counts of fraud

Christopher Joyce and Mary Joyce, both charged with:
- One count of conspiracy to hold another person in slavery/servitude
- One count of conspiracy to require another person to perform forced/compulsory labour
- One count of conspiracy to defraud

Other arrests:
- 20-year-old man bailed until May 29
- 44-year-old man bailed until May 26
- 21-year-old man bailed until May 26
- 19-year-old man bailed until May 26
- 27-year-old man bailed until May 4
- 44-year-old man bailed until May 29
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Local plan

WEST OXON: A consultation has been launched by West Oxfordshire District Council at westoxon.gov.uk/localplan2031 as they prepare to send off their local plan to government.

It documents where more than 10,000 homes could be built in the district by 2031.

Boys arrested

OXFORD: Three teenage boys have been arrested after women in their 20s and 30s were touched inappropriately over their clothing in the city.

A 16-year-old boy from Oxford has been arrested in relation to seven incidents that took place in Rymers Lane, Crowell Road, Campbell Road, Hockmore Street, Church Cowley Road and Cowley Road between March 18 and 24.

Two other boys, both 14 from Oxford, were arrested in connection with incidents in Hockmore Street, with one of the boys also arrested for an incident on Rymers Lane.

Flat fire rescue

ABINGDON: A neighbour rescued a man from a flat fire in on Friday.

Fire crews were called to the ground floor of West St Helen Street flats where a man - treated for smoke insultation - was rescued by a neighbour.

Nick Clegg unveils yellow battle bus

By **Katriona Ormiston**
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NICK Clegg steered well clear of the colour pink as he unveiled the Liberal Democrat battle bus launching his election campaign in Abingdon on Sunday.

Despite Lib Dems appeal to women voters, leader Clegg assured the Guardian he had no intention of making Labour's mistake of choosing a pink bus to target female voters.

"We stayed away from that and stuck with our traditional yellow," he said.

"This is the bit I love – I'm chuffed to bits the starting guns have finally been fired."

The party picked Abingdon as the stage to launch his election campaign in a bid to back the party's Oxford West and Abingdon candidate Layla Moran.

The former teacher is vying for votes against the Conservative's Nicola Blackwood – who the Lib Dems lost to by just 176 votes in 2010.

• *Nick Clegg and the Yellow Battle Bus*

Oxford West and Abingdon is described as one of Lib Dem's 'top target seats' – and could prove to be Oxfordshire's most contentious.

Clegg added: "I am a huge fan of Layla – we lost the seat very narrowly last time and it is going to be intensely fought this time as well."

The deputy Prime Minister of five years – until Parliament was officially dissolved for the pre-election period on Monday – made a speech to supporters in Market Place setting out his party's priorities.

He said: "We have this pretty dismal choice now that Labour wants to borrow more than £17billion pounds as a country and on the other hand the Conservatives who want to cut £70billion pounds more.

"The Liberal Democrats offer a simple alternative - we will cut less than the Conservatives and borrow less than Labour."

After his speech to supporters Clegg delivered leaflets to Abingdon homes and put up the Lib Dems 300th stake board.

Leaders of the seven main parties will be on TV tonight for the second live election broadcast: ITV Leaders' Debate.

Lots were drawn for the podium order yesterday.

The Green Party's Natalie Bennett will appear on screen first, before Nick Clegg, Ukip's Nigel Farage, Labour's Ed Miliband, Plaid Cymru's Leanne Wood, Scottish National Party's Nicola Sturgeon and Conservative's David Cameron.

The debates start at 8pm for two hours.

Full lists of all parliamentary candidates for Oxfordshire's six seats will be announced next Thursday, April 9.

Schools get revamp cash

TWO schools in Abingdon have a share of £367million of government funding to improve their buildings.

John Mason School, in Wootton Road, is planning to refurbish its art block, while Kingfisher School, in Radley Road, will be replacing its roof.

The money was announced by government last Thursday, just before parliament's dissolution on Monday ahead of the general election.

Former schools minister David Laws said: "I am delighted to be announcing this funding for Kingfisher and John Mason schools in Abingdon.

"Liberal Democrats want to carry on investing in our school buildings to give every child the best possible start in life."

Nicola Blackwood, Conservative candidate for the Oxford West and Abingdon seat, said: "This funding will make such a difference to John Mason and Kingfisher schools.

"I think it is absolutely right that this funding is available - £18billion has been made available for investment in schools in this parliament.

"Of course, there will be other schools that have missed out on funding, and I will continue to support them in their campaigns for school building improvements."

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New Park and Ride sites 'would harm green belt'

• *Redbridge Park and Ride*

PROPOSALS to build up to six new Park and Ride sites outside the city have been slammed by the Campaign to Protect Rural England (CPRE) Oxfordshire who claim they would encroach on the Oxford Green Belt.

Oxfordshire County Council's consultation into their Local Transport Plan – documenting changes they are considering to the roads and public transport systems – is due to end today.

One of the items they have proposed is building new Park and Ride sites in Sandford, Lodge Hill in Abingdon, Cumnor, Eynsham, Langford Lane near Oxford Airport, and in East Kidlington.

By Adam Flinn
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But CPRE Oxfordshire is concerned that the proposed sites are within green belt land, and won't help to reduce traffic.

Helen Marshall, director of CPRE Oxfordshire, said: "These proposed Park and Rides will undermine the openness and permanence of the green belt, and encroach upon the countryside.

"They will do nothing to get people out of their cars.

"Instead, it will just increase the amount of traffic to and from the radial routes to surrounding towns.

"And they will continue to put the focus on increasing jobs in Oxford, leading to more pressure on the green belt."

If the proposals were put into action, the current Park and Ride sites at Seacourt, Redbridge, Peartree, Water Eaton and Thornhill could be closed within the next 15 years.

County council spokesman Dominic Llewellyn-Jones said: "The draft Oxford Transport Strategy proposes a major expansion and updating of Oxford's Park and Ride system to provide almost double the current parking capacity.

"The strategy proposes a shift, over the next 10 to 15 years, away from traditional 'city edge' Park and Ride sites to an outer ring of sites slightly further from Oxford.

"The new sites will intercept car journeys further away from the city, helping to reduce traffic congestion on the ring road and approaches to it."

He added that specific sites for new Park and Rides have not yet been chosen, but would be looked at in more detail if the strategy is approved.

To view the plan, go to consultations.oxfordshire.gov.uk.

Wootton rapist jailed

A WOOTTON man who raped and sexually assaulted a woman across three decades has been jailed for 18 years.

Tony Humphreys, 62, of Arthur Evans Close, was sentenced on March 23 at Oxford Crown Court for 11 counts of indecent assault and one of rape.

All the offences happened in Abingdon in the 1970s, 1980s and 1990s and relate to one victim.

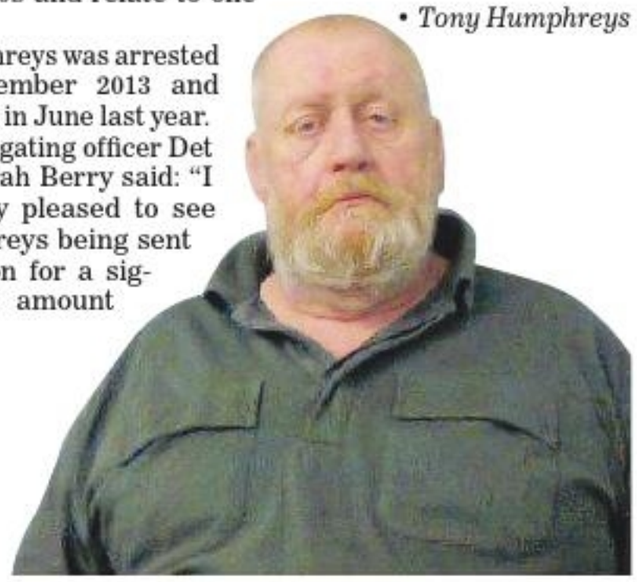
Humphreys was arrested in December 2013 and charged in June last year.

Investigating officer Det Con Sarah Berry said: "I am very pleased to see Humphreys being sent to prison for a significant amount of time.

"He denied the charges against him throughout the trial, but he has been found guilty and will now endure a suitable punishment.

"The victim has been extremely brave coming forward about these historic offences and I hope that the conviction and sentence of Humphreys will give her some satisfaction."

• *Tony Humphreys*



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Fire at pub

RAMSDEN: A tumble dryer caused a blaze at The Royal Oak pub in Ramsden, near Witney, last Tuesday.

Four fire engines attended and encountered a fire from the dryer on the first floor, which had filled the pub with heavy smoke.

Grants offer

WEST OXON: Grants of up to £50,000 are being offered by the district council to groups who want to improve community facilities in their area.

The council has set aside £200,000 for the scheme for 2015/16, which can be used for village halls, play areas and sports clubs.

The deadline for the first round of grants is April 21. For more details or to apply, go to westoxon.gov.uk/communities.

iMac stolen

WANTAGE: An iMac computer was stolen from a house in Grove Street on March 23.

Offenders broke in through an unsecure door and took the silver iMac 21.5 inch model A4128 2 computer, which had diagonal cracks across the screen.

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Bike stolen

ABINGDON: A 23-year-old man has been arrested after a teenager's mountain bike was stolen from outside the Natwest Bank in Market Place on March 23.

At around 4pm the victim, a 16-year-old boy, leant his bike against the bank while he went inside, during which time it was stolen.

The man arrested on suspicion of theft has been bailed until April 16.

Wards overhaul

BICESTER: The town council is set to be restructured at the election, with the four existing wards becoming seven.

Because of the town's growth in certain areas, some councillors are representing significantly more voters than others, so the changes are being made to level this out.

Church repairs

SOUTH OXON: Four churches in South Oxfordshire have been given more than £180,000 between them from government to pay for building repairs.

St Nicholas Church in Britwell Salome, St Swithun Church in Merton, St Margeret Church in Mapledurham and St John the Baptist Church in Stanton St John all received funding.

Honouring soldier who died in canoeing accident

CROWDS gathered in Carterton last Thursday to pay their respects at the repatriation of a soldier who died in a canoeing accident in Cyprus last month.

Residents, soldiers and Royal British Legion members joined family and friends of 20-year-old Private Jamie Sawyer at the town's Memorial Garden as his body was flown back the UK.

They lined up along Norton Way and fell silent as a cortege carrying his coffin passed through at 3.45pm.

Jay's mum, dad and brother placed roses on the hearse, before it made its way to the John Radcliffe Hospital in Oxford.

His mum Tracy said: "He deeply loved his family and his infectious personality touched all those who knew him, and we will miss his sense of humour and his outlook on life.

"Dedicated to the Army, he died doing what he loved and we will all miss him very much."

Jay, from Birmingham, had been deployed on a United Nations peacekeeping tour in Cyprus when he died in a canoeing accident while conducting adventure training in the Mediterranean Sea on March 12.

By Adam Flinn
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He had joined 2nd Battalion, The Mercian Regiment as a chef in 2013, and took part in several exercises in the UK before going on the six-month peacekeeping tour in Cyprus.

Major Keith Lincoln, quartermaster of 2nd Battalion, The Mercian Regiment, said: "Private Sawyer was a soldier of great promise.

"He was never without a smile, no matter what task he was set to and his character naturally endeared him to all those around him.

"He will leave an empty place to all those who knew him as a friend or comrade, and our thoughts go out to his mother Tracy and her family."

Mayor of Carterton Lynn Little spoke to and comforted Jay's family as the repatriation service took place.

She said: "It's a very sad occasion once again.

"The family is overwhelmed by the support they've had from RAF Brize Norton and the community of Carterton, and they've thanked me for being there to support them.

"I've done every single [repatriation] since it's come back to Brize Norton. For me it's an honour and I'm very proud to be able to support it in this way."

The town had been dealt a 10-month reprieve from repatriations following British troops' departure from Afghanistan in October.

The last was on May 6 when five servicemen were repatriated following a helicopter crash in Afghanistan.

• *Members of the Royal British Legion lowered their flags as the cortege passed*

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It's a little known fact that there are no formal qualifications for phlebotomists, who routinely work in GP Surgeries, Hospitals and Clinics. Once on the NHS healthcare career ladder ambition often drives many to progress to working in the labs.

Many hundreds of Geopace trainees are now working as phlebotomists throughout the UK and some have chosen to work abroad where, like the UK, there is a shortage and growing demand for this specialised skill.

If you love or have ever fancied a career in healthcare and like the idea of the job security offered by the NHS then this may be just the job for you. Training

takes place over two full days and culminates in the award of a nationally recognised and accredited certificate. "We practice on artificial arms", says Jennie. "And all our students have a lot of fun learning. We get a great deal of satisfaction when we later learn that they are working in their local hospital or GP Surgery".

If you would like to know more about phlebotomy as a career then visit Geopace's website at www.geopace.com. A link to the NHS jobs guide for phlebotomists is also available on the site. To enrol on the April course you can book online or book by telephoning the office on 01525 713377.

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Fire escape

MINSTER LOVELL: Three people suffered burns after a large house caught fire in Minster Lovell at 9.30pm last Wednesday.

The residents of the house managed to escape prior to the fire crews arriving, and were treated at the scene for burns and for the effects of breathing in smoke.

They were later taken to the John Radcliffe Hospital for precautionary checks.

Station manager Nick Bourke said: "The fire crews faced a challenging incident where it was initially believed that a number of residents were still inside the property.

"Due to the swift action of the crews they were able to quickly search the property and the blaze was brought under control."

The fire is believed to have started accidently, and is being investigated by the fire service.

Downton to end

BAMPTON: ITV period drama Downton Abbey, which is filmed in Bampton, is set to end later this year after the conclusion of its sixth series.

It was announced last Thursday that the next series of the show, which has seen an average of 11million viewers since it began, would be the last.

Twitter victory to Miliband?

By **Katriona Ormiston**
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ALMOST 500,000 tweets analysed during last week's head to head in the 'Battle For Number 10' live TV debates showed Miliband netted more support than **Cameron – Oxford University researchers concluded.**

Professors from the university's Computer Science department crafted a software system called TheySay – which breaks down Twitter messages revealing what peoples' opinions are on social media.

They found Labour leader Ed Miliband got 52 per cent of positive feeling compared to Conservative Prime Minister David Cameron's 47 per cent – out of 495,760 tweets on the topic. The tweets were analysed during the first live election debate by the two frontrunners for the job of Prime Minister last Thursday night - ahead of decision day on May 7.

Oxford University's Dr Karo Moilanen, co-founder of TheySay, said: "Both candidates generated a gigantic volume of negative sentiment overall.

"In general, Miliband's signals were more volatile than those for Cameron.

"Miliband's sentiment profile is more jagged – a sign of more extreme polarisation.

"Given that doubt, anger, agitation, and fear all increased towards the end around Miliband, his passionate plea was highly, highly emotional."

He added: "Miliband's impressive performance generated more traffic than Cameron's first round."

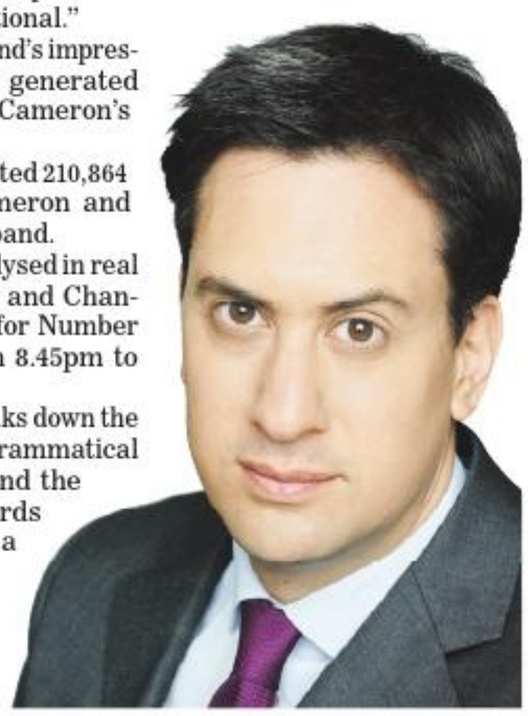
Twitter users posted 210,864 tweets about Cameron and 284,896 about Miliband.

The data was analysed in real time as Sky News and Channel 4's The Battle for Number 10 was aired from 8.45pm to 10.45pm.

The software breaks down the text into its basic grammatical parts to understand the relationship of words to each other as a human would.

It means the technology can pinpoint sentiment, emotion, sarcasm and political opinion – to gauge general feeling, political shifts and economic mood.

The next live TV election debate is tonight, April 2, at 8pm on ITV with seven party leaders: David Cameron, Ed Miliband, Nick Clegg, Nigel Farage, Nicola Sturgeon, Natalie Bennett and Leanne Wood.



New jobs after government grant awarded

SEVENTY-FIVE new jobs are set to be created at a Kidlington manufacturing firm after it received £3.5million of government funding.

M-Solv, based at Langford Locks, was given the money as part of an initiative to improve the global competitiveness of UK advanced manufacturing companies.

As well as creating the new posts, M-Solv will be using the money to develop sensor designs and set up a new production line.

Chancellor George Osborne said: "Backing manufacturing is a key part of our long-term economic plan that is building a stronger, healthier economy.

"This cutting edge new project will create up to 75 local jobs, and it is fantastic news for Oxford."

Phil Rumsby, CEO of M-Solv, added: "This award allows us and our UK supply chain partners to substantially enhance and expand our touch panel manufacturing operation.

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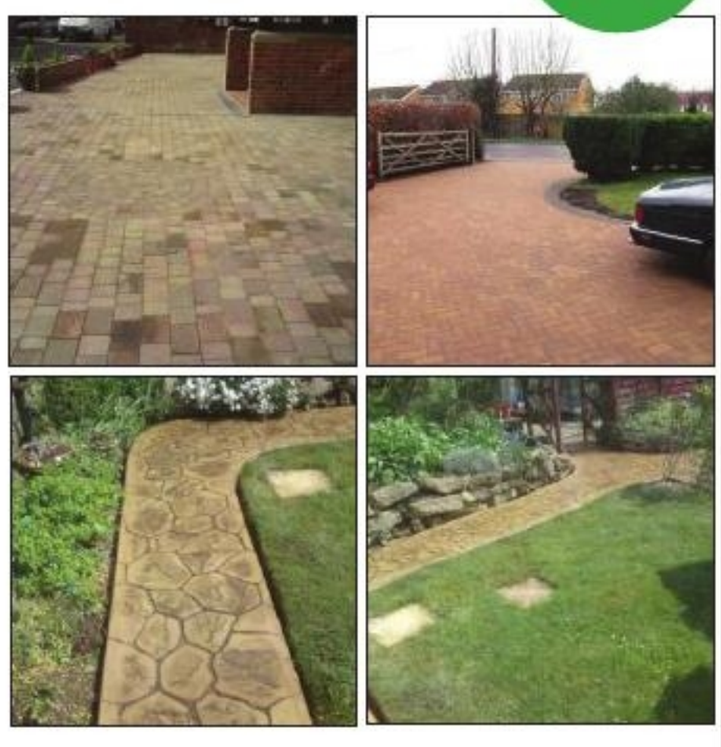

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New chief of Thames Valley Police force

By Adam Flinn
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THAMES Valley Police's new chief constable Francis Habgood served his first day in the job yesterday.

His appointment was confirmed last Friday following police and crime commissioner Anthony Stansfeld's recommendation that he should get the job.

Mr Habgood had served as the force's deputy chief constable since 2008, and replaces former police boss Sara Thornton, who left on Tuesday to become leader of the National Police Chiefs' Council.

"I am honoured and privileged to have been appointed as chief constable for Thames Valley Police," said Mr Habgood.

"Having worked for the force for 11 years, I know how committed officers, staff and volunteers are to keeping our communities safe and providing the public with an emergency service they look to in their hour of need.

"I do not underestimate the challenges ahead but I look forward to building on our successes, particularly the high levels of public satisfaction and reductions in crime."

Mr Habgood joined Thames Valley Police in 2004 as assistant chief constable, after previously serving with West Yorkshire Police since 1987.

Anthony Stansfeld had named Francis as his preferred choice for the role last month, and the appointment was confirmed after Friday's meeting with the Police and Crime Panel.

He said: "I am delighted that the panel supported my choice of Francis Habgood to be the next chief constable.

"He has done an excellent job as deputy chief constable and I look forward to working with him in the future."

Trevor Egleton, chairman of the Police and Crime Panel, said: "We are pleased to ratify the appointment and are looking forward to working with the police and crime commissioner and the new chief constable."

• *Francis Habgood*

Increased capacity on London bus service

A NEW £2.5million fleet of buses that will provide an extra 15,000 seats per month on the X90 Oxford to London route was unveiled by Oxford Bus Company last week.

Managing director Phil Southall and Oxford East Labour candidate Andrew Smith launched the new coaches last Wednesday.

Each one can hold more passengers with 63 seats, and also offers Wi-Fi, USB and power sockets.

• *Andrew Smith (left) and Phil Southall unveil the new buses*

Mr Smith said: "I'm delighted that Oxford Bus Company is investing in the busy London Route by adding an extra 15,000 seats a month and rolling out coaches that meet the highest environmental standards."

The coaches were gradually introduced into service over the two weeks prior to the announcement.

Mr Southall said: "We've resisted the temptation to cut down on legroom to get more seats in, as we know our passengers really value the comfort provided on the X90.

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Cloudy2Clear service Oxfordshire from their local depots and James is finding that his approach is a major factor in his success. 'The truthis that it's not just the personal satisfaction that I get from doing a good job but also it makes good business sense. I get a huge amount of business from friends and family of people I've done work for, which just goes to show how much a little bit of effort is appreciated.'

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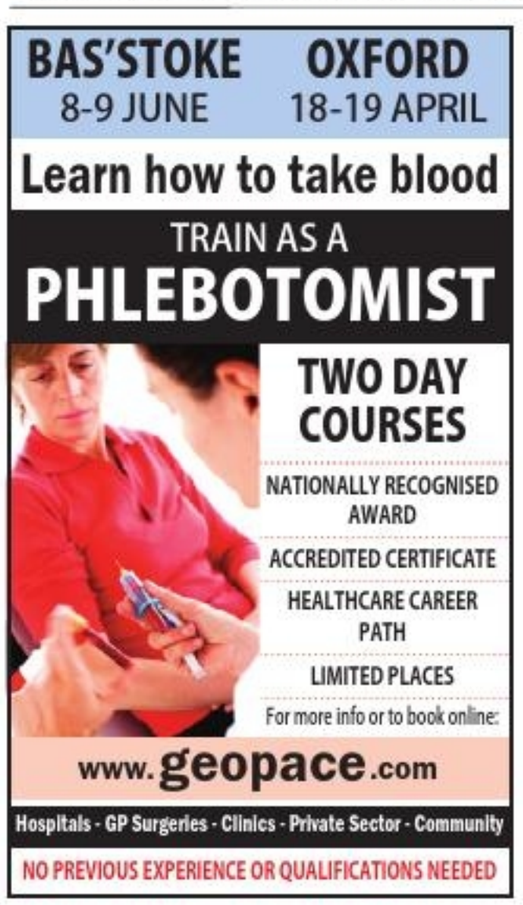

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Teens arrested

ABINGDON: Two teenagers have been arrested after a 17-year-old boy was assaulted and left with a broken nose in Bath Street on March 18.

Two boys aged 15 and 16, both from Abingdon, were arrested on March 23 after attacking the victim, who required hospital treatment.

The two arrested have been bailed until April 29.

Racist abuse

DIDCOT: A father and his teenage son were racially abused by someone shouting from a window on The Broadway as they walked past on March 20.

At around 2pm, a man described as white, with short hair and in his 20s or early 30s shouted abuse from a first-floor window near the DK Elegance Beauty Salon.

High steward

WALLINGFORD: The UK's youngest ever Olympian, Ken Lester, is set to become Wallingford's High Steward from May 18, the town council has announced.

Ken was just 13 when he represented Great Britain as a cox in the 1960 Rome Olympics, and the lifelong Wallingford resident will take over from Sir Colin Imray in the prestigious role next month.

Squadron gets royal visit for centenary

By **Adam Flinn**
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PRINCESS Anne paid a visit to RAF Brize Norton last week to attend the centenary parade of 30 Squadron at the base.

The Princess Royal, who serves as honorary air commodore to the camp, watched the parade on March 24.

Past and serving squadron members were invited to the event, held in the Air Tanker Services maintenance hangar, to mark 100 years since its official formation in Egypt on March 24, 1915.

Following the parade, a reception was held at the warrant officers' and sergeants' mess to give airmen and guests the chance to discuss the history of the squadron.

Wing Commander Andrew Garbutt, officer commanding of 30 Squadron, said: "While our role may have changed over the years, what has not changed is the dedication, hard work and excellence displayed by the men and women of 30 Squadron.

"To all past and present members of 30 Squadron, Ventre a Terre (all out – the squadron's motto)."

• *The squadron on parade at RAF Brize Norton*

The squadron was formed in 1915 to undertake reconnaissance duties in the Sinai desert while defending the Suez Canal during the First World War, with operations continuing until October that year.

For much of the squadron's history they have operated in the Middle East, and made the move from RAF Lyneham in Wiltshire to Brize Norton in July 2011.

In 2008, it was decided the squadron would become the second in the RAF to fly the A400M Atlas aircraft, which arrived at Brize Norton last year and will be used from 2017.

• *Princess Anne meets Wing Commander Andrew Garbutt*

Council wins £13m funding for lighting improvements

ALMOST £13million of government funding has been awarded to Oxfordshire County Council to improve street lighting and road drainage across the county.

Money will be spent on replacing older street lamps with more modern lights between now and 2018, as well as on Sustainable Urban Drainage (SUDs) systems that allows water to drain away from roads faster.

The authority is also contributing £1.6m of funding to bring the total spend to £14.5m.

David Nimmo Smith, the council's cabinet member for environment and transport, said: "We have until 2018 to spend the money awarded and I look forward to more modern street lighting and improved drainage.

"Investment in these areas has the potential to save us money in the longer term both on energy via more efficient lighting, and on highway maintenance as a result of more resilient roads."

The council had also bid for money for improvements to Playhatch Road on the Oxfordshire/Berkshire border near Reading, but was turned down.

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Two speed crossword

Quick Clues Across

4 Crustacean (6)
8 Religious buildings (7)
9 Discover the position of (6)
10 Vessel for conveying passengers and vehicles (5,4)
11 Disorder (4)
13 Halts (5)
14 Swift retort (7)
16 Be gluttonous (7)
18 Goods (5)
19 Unwoven fabric (4)
21 Indispensable (9)
22 Kind of chicory (6)
23 Began (7)
24 Short track for shunting (6)

Quick Clues Down

1 Misleading (9)
2 Part for replacement in machinery (5,4)
3 Medicinal plants (5)
5 Shout derisively (4)
6 Representations (6)
7 Gratify (6)
9 Classical language (5)
11 Religious house (9)
12 Became dull (9)
15 Lift (5)
16 Proposals (6)
17 Baffled (6)
20 Relaxes (5)
21 Flat (4)

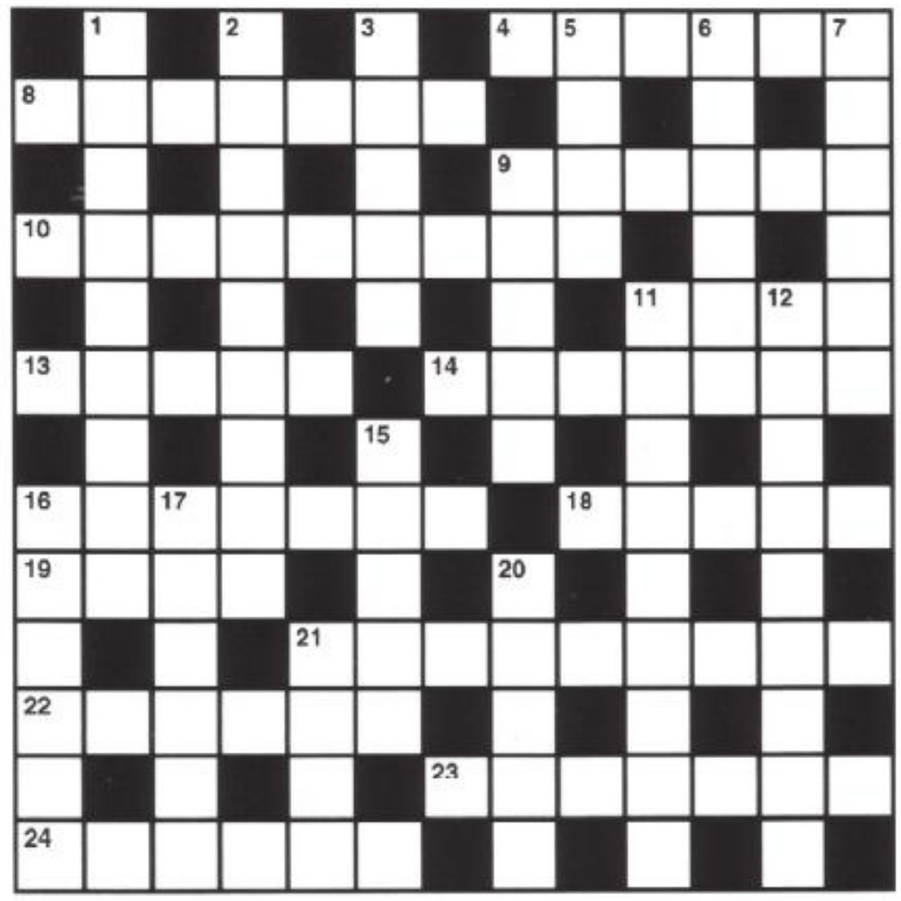
Scribble space

Cryptic Clues Across

1 Think again and bring salvation (6)
7 Spoken from memory - about the co-respondent? (7)
8 The urge to admit I'm beat (7)
9 Lay back to see it was faithful (5)
10 Pause to bury the duellist, disturbed and listless (9)
12 Droop as the heat comes back (3)
13 Except a backward Middle Eastern (4)
15 We hear of waterproofing the roof (7)
17 Frame the band (4)
19 The fish returns on the sheltered side (3)
21 Writing down the recipe for the best gin sling? (9)
22 Sounds the correct way to sign (5)
23 Exposing the falseness of the fastening (7)
24 Stays for the ruins (7)
25 There's cold comfort in such blockhouses (6)

Cryptic Clues Down

1 Denunciations of fences? (8)
2 Warehouses of French containers (6)
3 How the angler with the tail of one that got away will exaggerate (7)
4 Balance the proportionate size (5)
5 One who supports a game contestant? (6)
6 I'd look back at the image (4)
7 Politicians who are concerned with ancient tax collectors (11)
11 Teachers can provide something for everyone (4)
13 Grew old having managed without a husband (4)
14 Loose women secure challenges (8)
16 Initially very good inner way of getting up courage (7)
18 Sacred marks - no thanks, a mark of infamy (6)
20 The same - see around for a vital urge (6)
21 Time to take right back and send the money (5)



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This week's solutions

1	5	9	6	7	4	2	8	3
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6	1	7	5	9	3	8	4	2
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3	6	7	2	1	8	9	5	4
4	9	2	5	7	3	6	8	1
1	8	5	4	6	9	2	7	3

Quick Crossword

Across: 4 Shrimp 8 Temples 9 Locate 10 Ferry boat 11 Mess 13 Stops 14 Riposte 16 Overeat 18 Cargo 19 Felt 21 Essential 22 Endive 23 Started 24 Skiing

Down: 1 Deceptive 2 Spare part 3 Herbs 5 Hoot 6 Images 7 Please 9 Latin 11 Monastery 12 Stagnated 15 Raise 16 Offers 17 Eluded 20 Rests 21 Even

Cryptic Crossword

Across: 4 Switch 8 Related 9 Cruise 10 Isolation 11 Here 13 Stabs 14 Bemused 16 Average 18 Obese 19 Lead 21 Encounter 22 Outfit 23 Detract 24 Thymes

Down: 1 Sensitive 2 Early bird 3 Depth 5 Warm 6 Tribes 7 Heeled 9 Cores 11 Husbandry 12 Reverence 15 Agent 17 Earthy 20 Dover 21 Ere

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BBC1

The One Show, 7pm

6.00 **Breakfast** (S) 9.15 **Neighbourhood Blues** (S)(R) 10.00 **Homes Under the Hammer** (S)(R) 11.00 **The Sheriffs Are Coming** (S) 11.45 **Fake Britain** (S) 12.15 **Bargain Hunt** (S)(R) 1.00 **BBC News;** Weather; (S) 1.00 **BBC Regional News and Weather;** (S) 1.45 **The Edge** (S) 2.30 **Escape to the Country** Searching for properties in the Worcestershire countryside. (S) 3.30 **Holiday of My Lifetime with Len Goodman** (S) 4.15 **Flog It!** (S) 5.15 **Pointless** (S) 6.00 **BBC News;** Weather (S) 6.30 **BBC Regional News Programmes;** Weather (S) 6.55 **Party Election Broadcast** (S)(R)

BBC2

Portillo's State Secrets, 6.30pm

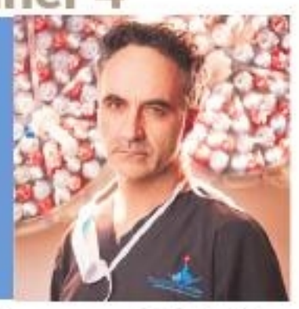
6.20 **Homes Under the Hammer** (S)(R) 7.20 **Flog It! Trade Secrets** (S) 8.20 **Sign Zone: Operation Meet the Street** (S)(R) 9.05 **Sign Zone: Great British Garden Revival** (S)(R) 10.05 **Sign Zone: Gardeners' World** (S)(R) 10.35 **HARDtalk** (S)(R) 11.00 **BBC News** (S) 11.30 **BBC World News** (S) 12.00 **Daily Politics** (S) 1.00 **Cagney & Lacey** (S)(R) 1.45 **Spring Kitchen with Tom Kerridge** (S)(R) 2.30 **Floyd's American Pie** (S)(R) 3.00 **Wogan: The Best Of** (S) 3.45 **Are You Being Served?** (S)(R) 4.15 **'Allo 'Allo!** (S)(R) 4.45 **Hi-de-Hi!** (S)(R) 5.15 **Vintage Antiques Roadshow** (S)(R) 5.55 **Party Election Broadcast** (S) 6.00 **Eggheads** (S) 6.30 **Portillo's State Secrets** (S)

ITV

Emmerdale, 7pm

6.00 **Good Morning Britain** (S) 8.30 **Lorraine** (S) 9.25 **The Jeremy Kyle Show** (S) 10.30 **This Morning** (S) 10.55 **ITV News;** Weather (S) 11.00 **This Morning** (S) 12.30 **O'Brien** (S) 1.30 **ITV News** (S) 1.55 **ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) 2.00 **Judge Rinder** Real-life cases in a studio courtroom. (S)(R) 3.00 **Dickinson's Real Deal** (S) 3.59 **ITV Regional Weather** (S) 4.00 **Tipping Point** Quiz show, hosted by Ben Shephard. (S)(R) 5.00 **The Chase** (S)(R) 6.00 **ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) 6.20 **Party Election Broadcast** By the UK Independence Party. (S)(R) 6.30 **ITV News** (S)

Channel 4


The Supervet, 8pm

6.00 **Countdown** (S)(R) 6.45 **The King of Queens** (S)(R) 7.10 **3rd Rock from the Sun** (S)(R) 8.00 **Everybody Loves Raymond** (S)(R) 9.00 **Frasier** (S)(R) 10.00 **Undercover Boss Canada** (S)(R) 11.00 **The Restoration Man** (S)(R) 12.00 **Channel 4 News** (S) 12.05 **Come Dine with Me Abroad** (S) 1.05 **A Place in the Sun: Home or Away** (S)(R) 2.10 **Countdown** (S) 3.00 **Deal or No Deal** Beat-the-banker game show. (S) 4.00 **Come Dine with Me** A week of dinner parties in Ealing, west London. (S)(R) 5.00 **Four in a Bed** (S) 5.30 **Coach Trip** (S) 6.00 **The Simpsons** (S)(R) 6.30 **Hollyoaks** (S)

Channel 5

The Classic Car Show, 7pm

6.00 **Milkshake!** 9.15 **The Wright Stuff** 11.10 **The Hotel Inspector** (S)(R) 12.10 **5 News Lunchtime** (S) 12.15 **The Gadget Show** (S)(R) 1.15 **Home and Away** (S) 1.45 **Neighbours** (S) 2.15 **NCIS** (S)(R) 3.10 **FILM The Long Shot (2004) (PG)** Drama, starring Julie Benz. (S) 5.00 **5 News at 5** (S) 5.30 **Neighbours** Daniel and Imogen remain trapped as Amber heads to the church. (S)(R) 6.00 **Home and Away** Spencer decides to organise a fundraiser for teenagers with cancer. (S)(R) 6.30 **5 News Tonight** (S) 6.55 **Party Election Broadcast** By the UK Independence Party. (S)(R)

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7.00 **The One Show** Topical stories from around the UK. (S)
7.30 **EastEnders** Kat tries to move on by throwing a family dinner; (S) BBC News; Regional News (S)

7.00 **Alex Polizzi: The Fixer** Alex travels to Kirklington, North Yorkshire, to meet the Keebles, a family of sausage-makers who need the supermarkets to sell their products for their company to survive. (S)(R)

7.00 **Emmerdale** Hour-long episode. Laurel is defensive with Doug, claiming her drink was spiked, and the atmosphere is tense as Marlon arrives. Adam leaves a voicemail confession for Victoria. (S)

7.00 **Channel 4 News** (S)
7.55 **Party Election Broadcast** A campaign outline by a political party. (S)

7.00 **The Classic Car Show** Jodie Kidd and Quentin Willson drive along America's Pacific Coast Highway in a 1968 Buick LeSabre and Jennifer Saunders takes a Fiat 500 for a spin; (S) 5 News Update (S)

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8.00 **MasterChef** Five more cooks compete for a place in the quarter-final, preparing a dish that represents who they are, before three of them use the same main ingredient in the Reinvention Test. (S)

8.00 **Coast Australia** New series. Tim Flannery reveals his role in discovering Australia's polar dinosaurs. (S)
8.50 **Nature's Weirdest Events** Chris Packham investigates unusual natural events. (S)

8.00 **The ITV Leaders' Debate** Julie Etchingham presents a live debate between the leaders of the Conservatives, Labour, Liberal Democrats, UKIP, SNP, Green Party and Plaid Cymru ahead of the General Election. (S)

8.00 **The Supervet** The team examines a Bengal cat involved in a road accident, an elderly Chinese crested dog that has been suffering seizures, and a deerhound with a broken neck. (S)

8.00 **Gangs & Guns: Caught on Camera** The air support unit is called in when an armed gang goes on the rampage through Lambeth; (S)(R) 5 News at 9 (S)

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9.00 **The Truth About Fat** Saleyha Ahsan explores the science of fat in food, examining evidence suggesting some saturated fats might be healthy and finding out what happens to volunteers who stop eating it. (S)

9.00 **Banished** Spragg brands James a traitor and calls for him to be killed, Mulrooney is bitten by a venomous snake and a game of cards has terrible consequences. (S)

9.00 **FILM The Twilight Saga: Breaking Dawn – Part 2 (2012) (12)** Premiere. Vampire couple Edward and Bella defend their child from the leaders of the undead. Conclusion of the romantic fantasy series, with Kristen Stewart and Robert Pattinson. (S)

9.00 **Glasgow's Killing Streets** Nick Wallis examines the city's reputation for knife crime and assesses how Glaswegians are working with police, doctors and other essential services to try to reduce the violence. (S)

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10.00 **BBC News** (S)
10.25 **BBC Regional News and Weather** (S)
10.45 **Question Time** Topical debate from the Essex town of Grays, chaired by David Dimbleby. (S)

10.00 **Inside No 9** A terrifying stranger keeps appearing in a woman's flat at night. (S)
10.30 **Newsnight** (S)

10.00 **ITV News and Weather** (S)
10.30 **ITV Regional News;** Weather (S)
10.45 **The Agenda** New series. Tom Bradby focuses on this evening's leaders' debate. (S)

10.00 **The Mentalist** The team protects a witness in a murder case. (S)
10.55 **James Bulger: Britain's Worst Crimes** Drama-documentary exploring the impact of the murder of James Bulger. (S)(R)

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11.45 **This Week** The past seven days in politics. (S)

11.15 **Weather** (S)
11.20 **Strangeways – Britain's Toughest Prison Riot** Documentary marking the 25th anniversary of the biggest riot in British penal history. (S)(R)

11.25 **River Monsters** Angler Jeremy Wade comes face to face with one of his oldest adversaries as he investigates reports of a face-eating creature in a remote part of Bolivia. Last in the series. (S)(R)

11.20 **Britain's Benefit Tenants** A Wolverhampton agent with a free room must choose between two homeless people. Last in the series. (S)(R)

11.55 **Access** Showbiz news and gossip.

AFTER 12

12.30 **Skiing Weatherview** (S) 12.35 BBC News (S)

12.20 **Sign Zone: DIY Justice: Panorama** (S)(R) 12.50 Suffragettes Forever! The Story of Women and Power (S)(R) 1.50 This Is BBC Two (S)

12.25 **Jackpot247** 3.00 The Jeremy Kyle Show USA (S)(R) 3.45 ITV Nightscreen 5.05 The Jeremy Kyle Show (S)(R)

12.25 **Raised by Wolves** (S)(R) 12.55 Teens (S)(R) 1.50 Secret Millionaire Ireland (S)(R) 2.40 Food Unwrapped (S)(R) 3.10 Secret Location (S)(R) 4.05 Phil Spencer: Secret Agent (S)(R) 5.00 SuperScrimpers (S)(R) 5.05 Deal or No Deal (S)(R)

12.00 **SuperCasino** 3.10 The Hotel Inspector (S)(R) 4.00 Wildlife SOS (S)(R) 4.25 Great Artists (S)(R) 4.45 House Doctor (S)(R) 5.10 House Doctor (S)(R) 5.35 House Doctor (S)(R)

DIGITAL

ITV2 SKY: 118 FV: 6
6.00 Life's Funniest Moments 6.20 Psych 7.05 Emmerdale 7.35 Coronation Street 8.10 Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records 8.35 Dinner Date 9.35 Ben and Kate 10.00 Up All Night 10.25 Psych 11.20 Royal Pains 12.15 Emmerdale 12.45 Coronation Street 1.15 You've Been Framed! 1.45 Dinner Date 2.40 The Jeremy Kyle Show 6.00 You've Been Framed! 8.00 Reggie & Thunderbirds: No Strings Attached 9.00 Scorpion 10.00 Celebrity Juice: Easter Special 10.50 Release the Hounds 11.50 Two and a Half Men 12.40 Mom 1.30 Scorpion 2.25 Teleshopping 5.55 ITV2 Nightscreen

ITV3 SKY: 119 FV: 10
6.00 French Fields 6.25 Wycliffe 7.30 Heartbeat 8.35 Where the Heart Is 9.40 The Royal 10.40 Judge Judy 12.00 Murder, She Wrote 1.00 Heartbeat 2.00 Where the Heart Is 3.05 The Royal 4.05 French Fields 4.40 Rising Damp 5.15 On the Buses 5.50 Heartbeat 6.55 Murder, She Wrote 7.55 Endeavour 10.00 Law & Order: UK 11.00 Wycliffe 12.10 FILM: The Rebel (1961) (U) 2.00 Judge Judy 2.20 Movies Now 2.30 Teleshopping

BBC3 SKY: 115 FV: 7
7.00 The Billion Dollar Chicken Shop 8.00 World's Toughest Jobs 9.00 Life and Death Row 10.00 Russell Howard's Good News 10.30 EastEnders 11.05 Family Guy 11.45 American Dad! 12.10 Family Guy 12.30 Russell Howard's Good News 1.00 Life and Death Row 2.00 Killer Magic 2.30 Bluestone 42 3.00 Life and Death Row 4.00 Close

BBC4 SKY: 116 FV: 9
7.00 World News Today; Weather 7.30 Top of the Pops: 1980 8.00 The Truth About Meteors 9.00 Terry Pratchett – Facing Extinction 10.00 Building Burma's Death Railway: Moving Half the Mountain 11.00 The Normans 11.55 Top of the Pops: 1980 12.30 Drills, Dentures and Dentistry: An Oral History 1.30 The Truth About Meteors 2.30 Great Irish Journeys with Martha Kearney 3.00 Terry Pratchett – Facing Extinction 4.00 Close

E4 SKY: 136 FV: 28
6.00 Hollyoaks 6.25 Happy Endings 6.45 Charmed 7.35 Made in Chelsea 8.35 Rules of Engagement 9.30 Baby Daddy 10.00 Charmed 12.00 Hollyoaks 12.30 Rules of Engagement 1.00 How I Met Your Mother 2.00 The Big Bang Theory 3.00 Baby Daddy 3.30 Melissa & Joey 4.00 New Girl 4.30 The Big Bang Theory 5.00 How I Met Your Mother 6.00 The Big Bang Theory 7.00 Hollyoaks 7.30 How I Met Your Mother 8.00 2 Broke Girls 8.30 The Big Bang Theory 9.00 Brooklyn Nine-Nine 9.30 Marry Me 10.00 The Inbetweeners 11.10 The Big Bang Theory 12.05 Rude Tube: Extreme Rides 1.05 Revenge 2.05 The Inbetweeners 3.00 New Girl 3.50 Made in Chelsea 4.45 Charmed

MORE4 SKY: 138 FV: 14
8.55 Location, Location, Location 10.00 Come Dine with Me 11.05 River Cottage Bites 11.30 FILM: High Noon (1952) (U) 1.10 Time Team 3.20 A Place in the Sun: Home or Away 5.25 Jamie's 15 Minute Meals 5.55 Come Dine with Me 7.00 Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA 7.55 Grand Designs 9.00 The Good Wife 10.00 The Hoarder Next Door 11.00 8 Out of 10 Cats Does Countdown 12.05 Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA 1.05 Come Dine with Me 2.05 The Hoarder Next Door 3.15 River Cottage Bites 3.35 Close

FILM4 SKY: 315 FV: 15
11.00 The Cat Returns (2002) (U) 12.40 Angus, Thongs and Perfect Snogging (2008) (12) 2.40 Mysterious Island (1961) (PG) 4.45 The Parent Trap (1998) (U) 7.15 California Man (1992) (PG) 9.00 Unstoppable (2010) (12) 10.55 Trainspotting (1996) (18) 12.45 The Darjeeling Limited (2007) (15) 2.30 Ocean Waves (1993) (PG) 4.00 Close

DAVE SKY: 111 FV: 12
7.15 Motorway Cops 8.05 Top Gear 10.00 Storage Hunters 11.00 Lizard Lick Towing 12.00 Top Gear 2.00 Storage Hunters 2.30 Motorway Cops 3.30 Storage Hunters 4.00 Lizard Lick Towing 5.00 Top Gear 7.00 Storage Hunters 9.00 Russell Howard's Good News Extra 10.00 Suits 11.00 QI 11.40 Mock the Week 12.20 8 Out of 10 Cats 12.50 Storage Hunters 1.20 Lizard Lick Towing 1.50 Suits 2.50 Russell Howard's Good News Extra 3.35 Lizard Lick Towing 4.00 Close

SKY1 SKY: 106
6.00 The Real A&E 7.00 Ashley Banjo's Secret Street Crew 8.00 Greggs: More Than Meats the Pie 9.00 NCIS: Los Angeles 11.00 Hawaii Five-0 1.00 NCIS: Los Angeles 3.00 The Simpsons 4.00 Futurama 5.00 The Simpsons 5.30 Futurama 6.30 The Simpsons 8.00 Arrow 9.00 Forever 10.00 NCIS: Los Angeles 11.00 Hawaii Five-0 2.00 NCIS: Los Angeles 3.00 Hawaii Five-0 4.00 NCIS: Los Angeles 5.00 Stargate Atlantis

SKY ATLANTIC SKY: 108
6.00 Seinfeld 7.00 Stargate SG-1 8.00 Stargate Atlantis 9.00 Star Trek: Enterprise 10.00 House 11.00 Blue Bloods 12.00 Without a Trace 1.00 Seinfeld 2.00 Stargate SG-1 4.00 Stargate Atlantis 5.00 Star Trek: Enterprise 6.00 House 7.00 Blue Bloods 8.00 Without a Trace 9.00 Fortitude 10.00 Game of Thrones: The Story So Far 11.00 Mad Men 1.00 The Sopranos 2.05 Curb Your Enthusiasm 2.40 Vegas 3.40 The Mind of the Married Man 4.15 Stargate SG-1 5.05 Star Trek: Enterprise

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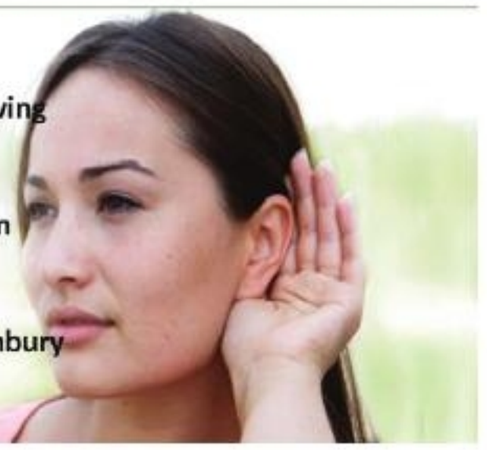

Good Friday April 3rd

BBC1

6.00 Breakfast (S) **9.00 David Suchet: In the Footsteps of St Peter** (S) **10.00 Homes Under the Hammer** (S)(R) **11.00 The Sheriffs Are Coming** (S) **11.45 Fake Britain** (S)(R) **12.15 Bargain Hunt** (S)(R) **1.00 BBC News;** Weather; (S) **1.00 BBC Regional News and Weather;** (S) **1.30 The Edge** (S) **2.15 Escape to the Country** (S)(R) **3.00 Holiday of My Lifetime with Len Goodman** (S) **3.45 Flog It!** From Peterborough Cathedral. (S) **4.45 Spring's Supermarket Secrets** (S)(R) **5.45 Pointless** (S) **6.30 BBC News;** Weather (S) **6.45 BBC Regional News Programmes;** Weather (S)

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7.00 The One Show Hosted by Chris Evans and Alex Jones. (S)
7.30 A Question of Sport With Greg Rutherford, Ben Cohen, Louis Smith and Dani King. (S)(R)

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8.00 EastEnders Kat resorts to desperate measures. (S)
8.30 MasterChef The quarter-finalists cook dishes suggested by food critic William Sitwell. (S)

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9.00 Eurovision's Greatest Hits A concert by past winners and other performers, including Conchita Wurst, Brotherhood of Man, Lordi, Dana International and Johnny Logan, to celebrate 60 years of the song contest. (S)

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10.30 BBC News (S)
10.50 BBC Regional News and Weather; (S) National Lottery Update (S)

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11.00 Would I Lie to You? With Rhod Gilbert, Kelly Hoppen, Carol Vorderman and Hal Cruttenden. (S)(R)
11.30 The Football League Show Highlights of the latest games. (S)

AFTER 12

12.50 EastEnders (S)(R) **2.45** Weather for the Week Ahead (S) **2.50** BBC News (S)

BBC2

6.00 Flog It! Trade Secrets (S) **6.30** FILM **City Beneath the Sea (1970) (U)** (S) **8.00 The Gospel of John** (S) **9.00 Wanted Down Under** (S)(R) **10.00** FILM **Easter Parade (1948) (U)** (S) **11.40 Deadly on a Mission: Pole to Pole** (S)(R) **12.40** FILM **The Game Plan (2007) (U)** (S) **2.25 Wogan: The Best Of** (S) **3.10 Bob Hope Talking Comedy** (S) **3.40 Bob Monkhouse Talking Comedy** (S) **4.10 Hi-de-Hi!** Peggy's piano skills upset Ted. (S)(R) **5.00 Vintage Antiques Roadshow** From Aberglasney Gardens in Carmarthenshire. (S)(R) **6.00 Portillo's State Secrets** (S) **6.30 Eggheads** (S)

7.00 Alex Polizzi: The Fixer Revisits Part two of two. The entrepreneur catches up with two family-run businesses – a funeral directors in Hampshire and a garage in Ashton-under-Lyne, Greater Manchester. (S)

8.00 An Island Parish: Falklands The Rev Richard Hines flies over to West Falkland for a carol service. (S)
8.30 Gardeners' World Monty Don breaks ground for his new pond at Longmeadow. (S)

9.00 Springwatch at Easter Chris Packham, Michaela Strachan and Martin Hughes-Games return for a one-off edition of the programme showcasing the best of British wildlife. (S)

10.00 The Clare Balding Show New series. Sports chat. (S)
10.30 Goodness Gracious Me Reunion Special Comedy sketches, with Meera Syal, Sanjeev Bhaskar, Nina Wadia and Kulvinder Ghir. (S)(R)

11.00 Harry & Paul's Story of the 2s Harry Enfield and Paul Whitehouse take an irreverent look at the history of BBC Two, featuring parodies of The Office, Arena and The Apprentice. (S)(R)

12.00 FILM **Anita & Me (2002) (12)** Comedy drama, starring Chandeep Uppal and Anna Brewster. (S) **1.30** Sign Zone: Question Time (S)(R) **2.30** Nelson in His Own Words (S)(R) **3.30** This Is BBC Two (S)

ITV

6.00 CITV 7.00 Good Morning Britain (S) **8.30 Lorraine** (S) **9.25 Murder, She Wrote** (S)(R) **10.25** FILM **Columbo: Swan Song (1974) (PG)** (S) **12.30 O'Brien** (S) **1.25 ITV News** (S) **1.35 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) **1.40 All Star Family Fortunes** (S)(R) **2.25 Judge Rinder** Real-life cases in a studio courtroom. (S)(R) **3.30 Dickinson's Real Deal** The dealers visit Alfreton in Derbyshire. (S) **4.30 Tipping Point** Quiz show, hosted by Ben Shephard. (S) **5.30 The Chase** Quiz show, hosted by Bradley Walsh. (S)(R) **6.30 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) **6.40 ITV News** (S)

7.00 Emmerdale Laurel tries to look after the children. (S)
7.30 Coronation Street Faye screams at Craig to find Anna as her labour progresses. (S)

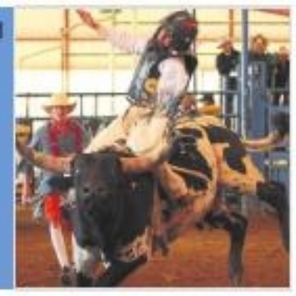
8.00 Barging Round Britain with John Sergeant The broadcaster heads into Birmingham. (S)
8.30 Coronation Street Anna, Sophie and Sally fuss round an exhausted Faye. (S)

9.00 Bear Grylls: Mission Survive The three remaining contenders battle to be crowned winner, as they abseil down a waterfall and follow the sound of a distress signal through a mangrove swamp. Last in the series. (S)

10.00 ITV News and Weather; Weather (S)
10.15 FILM **A Fish Called Wanda (1988) (15)** A gullible barrister is targeted by a seductive double-crossing thief trying to locate her imprisoned partner's hidden loot. Crime comedy, starring John Cleese and Jamie Lee Curtis.

12.15 Jackpot247 3.00 The Jeremy Kyle Show USA (S) **3.45** ITV Nightscreen

Channel 4



6.00 Countdown (S)(R) **6.45 The King of Queens** (S)(R) **7.10 3rd Rock from the Sun** (S)(R) **8.00 Everybody Loves Raymond** (S)(R) **9.00 Frasier** (S)(R) **10.00 The Big Bang Theory** (S)(R) **11.00 The Simpsons** (S)(R) **1.30 Channel 4 Racing** (S) **4.00 Come Dine with Me** Four amateur chefs from south Oxfordshire compete. (S)(R) **5.00 Four in a Bed** The hosts meet for the final time. (S) **5.30 Coach Trip** The group visits a chocolate factory in Vienna. (S) **6.00 The Simpsons** Lisa discovers Bart's demented twin. (S)(R) **6.30 Hollyoaks** Jason comes to Cindy's rescue. (S)

7.00 Channel 4 News (S)
7.30 Unreported World Bull-riding for children in Texas. (S)
7.55 Party Election Broadcast A campaign outline by a political party. (S)

8.00 Marvel's Agents of SHIELD The team comes to the aid of Lady Sif, who has lost her memory after fighting with a mysterious warrior, while Bobbi and Mack risk exposure as they continue their own operation. (S)

9.00 Gogglebox Capturing the households' instant reactions to what they are watching on TV from the comfort of their own sofas. Narrated by Caroline Aherne. (S)

10.00 Alan Carr: Chatty Man The host is joined by comedian Noel Fielding, footballer-turned-children's author Frank Lampard, and grime star Lethal Bizzle, performing his new single Fester Skank. (S)

11.05 Troy In Barcelona, the magician becomes a conjuring currency converter and wows football fans with a prediction at the city's famous Nou Camp stadium. Last in the series. (S)

12.10 Brooklyn Nine-Nine (S) **12.35** FILM **Jackie Brown (1997) (15)** (S) **3.05** Fargo (S)(R) **4.00** Phil Spencer: Secret Agent (S)(R) **4.50** SuperScrimpers (S)(R) **4.55** Secret Location (S)(R) **5.50** The Common Denominator (S)(R)

Channel 5

6.00 Milkshake! 9.15 The Wright Stuff – Easter Special 11.45 The Hotel Inspector (S)(R) **12.40 5 News Lunchtime** (S) **12.45 Home and Away** (S) **1.15 Neighbours** (S) **1.50** FILM **The Alamo (1960) (PG)** (S) **5.00 5 News at 5** (S) **5.30 Neighbours** Imogen opens up to Daniel. (S)(R) **6.00 Home and Away** Ricky tells Brax she will support him if he decides to change his plea. (S)(R) **6.30 Party Election Broadcast** By the Scottish National Party. (S) **6.35 D-Day's Sunken Secrets** An expedition to look for military items from the Normandy landings; (S)(R) 5 News Update. (S)

8.00 Secrets of Great British Castles New series. Dan Jones explores the turbulent histories of six of Britain's most famous strongholds, beginning in the south-east of England at Dover Castle; (S) 5 News at 9 (S)

9.00 NCIS: New Orleans Pride and the team investigate when a naval commander is found dead in his car with a sharp object through his chest and an empty silver locket in his possession. (S)

10.00 NCIS Gibbs helps his father help track down an old friend from the war. (S)
10.55 FILM **Valkyrie (2008) (12)** Fact-based thriller, recreating the 1944 plot by a conspiracy of rebel German officers to assassinate Adolf Hitler using a briefcase bomb. Starring Tom Cruise and Kenneth Branagh. (S)

DIGITAL

ITV2 SKY: 118 FV: 6
6.00 The Hot Desk: Ed Sheeran **6.10** Psych **6.55** Emmerdale **7.55** You've Been Framed! **8.25** People Do the Funniest Things **9.25** The Jeremy Kyle Show: DNA Bombshells **12.40** Emmerdale **1.45** Mr Bean **2.55** FILM: Cats & Dogs (2001) (PG) **4.40** FILM: Nanny McPhee (2005) (U) **6.35** FILM: The Mummy (1999) (12) **9.00** FILM: The Shawshank Redemption (1994) (15) Prison drama, starring Tim Robbins and Morgan Freeman. **11.50** Two and a Half Men **12.45** Crazy Beaches **1.15** Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records **1.40** Royal Pains **2.30** Teleshopping

ITV3 SKY: 119 FV: 10
6.00 Rosemary & Thyme **6.50** On the Buses **7.55** FILM: Carry On Don't Lose Your Head (1966) (PG) **9.45** FILM: That's Carry On (1978) (PG) **11.40** FILM: Carry On Screaming (1966) (PG) **1.35** FILM: Carry On Again Doctor (1969) (PG) **3.25** FILM: Carry On Matron (1972) (PG) **5.15** FILM: Carry On Henry (1971) (PG) **7.05** FILM: Carry On Jack (1963) (PG) **9.00** Carry On Forever **10.00** FILM: Carry On Cruising (1962) (U) **11.50** FILM: Till Death Us Do Part (1969) (12) **1.55** Judge Judy **2.40** On the Buses **3.05** ITV3 Nightscreen **3.40** Emmerdale

BBC3 SKY: 115 FV: 7
7.00 Legend of the Boneknapper Dragon **7.15** Madly Madagascar **7.35** Kung Fu Panda: Secrets of the Furious Five **8.00** Don't Tell the Bride **9.00** Bad Education **10.00** Russell Howard's Good News **10.30** EastEnders **11.00** Family Guy **11.45** American Dad! **12.10** Family Guy **12.30** Bluestone 42 **1.00** Killer Magic **1.30** Bad Education **2.30** I Survived a Zombie Apocalypse **3.30** Russell Howard's Good News **4.00** Close

BBC4 SKY: 116 FV: 9
7.00 Messiah at the Foundling Hospital **8.00** Darcey's Ballerina Heroines **9.00** Freddie Mercury: The Great Pretender – Director's Cut **10.25** Queen: The Legendary 1975 Concert **11.15** Mr Blue Sky: The Story of Jeff Lynne and ELO **12.15** Jeff Lynne's ELO at Hyde Park **1.35** Freddie Mercury: The Great Pretender – Director's Cut **3.05** Queen: The Legendary 1975 Concert **3.50** Close

E4 SKY: 136 FV: 28
6.00 Hollyoaks **6.25** Happy Endings **6.45** Charmed **7.35** Made in Chelsea **8.35** Rules of Engagement **9.30** Baby Daddy **10.00** Charmed **12.00** Hollyoaks **12.30** Rules of Engagement **1.00** How I Met Your Mother **2.00** The Big Bang Theory: Biggest Bangs **7.00** Hollyoaks **7.30** How I Met Your Mother **8.00** The Big Bang Theory **9.00** FILM: Easy A (2010) (15) **10.55** The Big Bang Theory **11.55** Rude Tube **1.00** 2 Broke Girls **1.30** Marry Me **2.00** Taking New York **2.55** Balls of Steel Australia **3.45** New Girl **4.10** Made in Chelsea **5.05** Charmed

MORE4 SKY: 138 FV: 14
8.55 Location, Location, Location **10.00** Celebrity Come Dine with Me: Rugby World Cup Special **11.05** Kirstie's Vintage Gems **11.30** FILM: Fantastic Mr Fox (2009) (PG) **1.10** Time Team **3.20** A Place in the Sun: Home or Away **5.25** Jamie's 15 Minute Meals **5.55** Come Dine with Me **7.00** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA **7.55** Grand Designs **9.00** FILM: Along Came a Spider (2001) (15) **11.05** 8 Out of 10 Cats Does Countdown **12.15** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA **1.15** Come Dine with Me **2.20** The Good Wife **3.20** River Cottage Bites **3.35** Close

FILM4 SKY: 315 FV: 15
11.00 Kiki's Delivery Service (1989) (PG) **1.15** Hocus Pocus (1993) (PG) **3.10** Freaky Friday (1976) (U) **5.10** The Simpsons Movie (2007) (PG) **6.55** Big Miracle (2012) (PG) **9.00** Fast Five (2011) (12) **11.35** The Last Exorcism Part II (2013) (15) **1.20** Spirited Away (2001) (PG) **3.50** Close

DAVE SKY: 111 FV: 12
7.00 Meat Men **7.20** The World's Most Stupid Criminals **8.05** Top Gear **10.00** Storage Hunters **11.00** Lizard Lick Towing **12.00** The World's Most Stupid Criminals **1.00** Red Dwarf **9.00** Not Going Out **10.20** Mock the Week **11.00** QI **11.40** Mock the Week **12.20** 8 Out of 10 Cats **12.50** Storage Hunters **1.25** Lizard Lick Towing **1.50** Red Dwarf **4.00** Close

SKY1 SKY: 106
6.00 The Real A&E **7.00** Ashley Banjo's Secret Street Crew **8.00** Football's Funniest Moments **9.00** NCIS: Los Angeles **1.00** The Simpsons **3.00** Greatest Disney Songs **4.00** Futurama **5.00** The Simpsons **5.30** Futurama **6.30** The Simpsons **8.00** Relatively Clever **9.00** Stella **10.00** Greatest Disney Songs **11.00** Hawaii Five-0 **1.00** NCIS: Los Angeles **4.00** Hawaii Five-0 **5.00** Stargate Atlantis

SKY ATLANTIC SKY: 108
6.00 Seinfeld **7.00** Stargate SG-1 **8.00** Stargate Atlantis **9.00** Star Trek: Enterprise **10.00** House **11.00** Blue Bloods **12.00** Without a Trace **1.00** Seinfeld **2.00** Stargate SG-1 **4.00** Stargate Atlantis **5.00** Star Trek: Enterprise **6.00** House **7.00** Blue Bloods **8.00** Without a Trace **9.00** Game of Thrones **1.45** Fortitude **2.45** The Sopranos **3.50** Blue Bloods: Meet the Characters **4.00** Stargate SG-1 **5.00** Star Trek: Enterprise

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Saturday April 4th

DAYTIME

BBC1

6.00 Breakfast (S) **10.00 Saturday Kitchen Live** (S) **11.30 Mary Berry Cooks** (S)(R) **12.00 BBC News;** Weather (S) **12.10 Football Focus** (S) **12.50 Saturday Sportsday** (S) **1.00 Bargain Hunt** (S)(R) **2.00 Homes Under the Hammer** Properties in London, Derbyshire and south Wales. (S)(R) **3.00 Escape to the Country** (S)(R) **4.00 Final Score** A round-up of this afternoon's football results. (S) **5.15** FILM **Rise of the Guardians (2012) (PG)** Premiere. Animated adventure, with the voice of Chris Pine. (S) **6.40 BBC News** (S) **6.50 BBC Regional News and Weather** (S)

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7.00 The Voice UK Emma Willis and Marvin Humes present the final, in which the last four singers make their bid for the title. With performances by Paloma Faith and the Script. Last in the series. (S)

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9.10 Casualty Connie faces an impossible decision when her friend Alfred asks to die. A man puts himself in danger after lying about his drug-addict past, and Ethan discovers Cal stole his money. (S)

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10.00 The National Lottery Live With music by Lulu. (S)
10.10 BBC News; Weather (S)
10.30 Match of the Day Dan Walker introduces highlights of the latest Premier League matches; (S) National Lottery Update (S)

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11.55 FILM **Surrogates (2009) (12)** Sci-fi thriller, with Bruce Willis and Radha Mitchell. (S)

AFTER 12

1.20 Weather for the Week Ahead (S) **1.25** BBC News (S)

BBC2

6.05 Animal Park (S)(R) **7.05 The Football League Show** (S)(R) **8.25** FILM **The Sword in the Stone (1963) (U)** (S) **9.40 Deadly on a Mission: Pole to Pole** (S)(R) **10.40 Fred Dibnah's Magnificent Monuments** (S)(R) **11.10 The Nature of Britain** (S)(R) **12.00 A Taste of Britain** (S) **12.30 Michel Roux's Service** (S)(R) **1.30 The A to Z of TV Cooking** (S)(R) **1.35 Great Directors: Talking Pictures** (S) **2.20** FILM **Wuthering Heights (1939) (U)** (S) **4.00 Kew on a Plate** (S)(R) **5.00 Gardeners' World** (S)(R) **5.30 Easter from King's** (S) **6.45** FILM **The Young Victoria (2009) (PG)** (S)

8.25 Dad's Army Pike borrows Mainwaring's new staff car to take his girlfriend to the cinema – but it breaks down, leaving the lovebirds stranded in the middle of nowhere. (S)(R)

9.00 Monteverdi in Mantua: The Genius of the Vespers Simon Russell Beale travels to Italy to explore the volatile relationship between the Duke of Mantua and his court composer Claudio Monteverdi. (S)

10.00 QI XL Extended edition. With Suggs, Claudia O'Doherty and Jimmy Carr. (S)
10.45 Rik Mayall: Lord of Misrule Simon Callow narrates a celebration of the comedian and actor's life and work. (S)(R)

11.45 FILM **A Beautiful Mind (2001) (12)** Biopic of brilliant mathematician John Nash. Oscar-winning drama, starring Russell Crowe and Paul Bettany. (S)

1.55 FILM **Revenge of the Bridesmaids (2010) (12)** Comedy, starring Raven-Symone and JoAnna Garcia Swisher. (S) **3.15** This Is BBC Two (S)

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6.00 CITV 7.30 Scrambled!: Scrambled! (S) **7.35 Scrambled!: Nerds & Monsters** (S)(R) **7.50 Scrambled!: Adventure Time** (S) **8.30 Scrambled!: Horrid Henry** (S) **8.50 Scrambled!: Hulk and the Agents of Smash** (S) **9.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show** (S)(R) **12.30 ITV News;** Weather (S) **12.35 The Jeremy Kyle Show** (S)(R) **1.40** FILM **The Great St Trinian's Train Robbery (1966) (PG)** (S) **3.30 Off Their Rockers** (S)(R) **4.00 Big Star's Little Star** (S)(R) **5.00 Thunderbirds Are Go** (S) **6.00 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) **6.15 ITV News** (S) **6.30 New You've Been Framed!** (S)

7.00 Ant & Dec's Saturday Night Takeaway Little Ant and Dec interview England captain Wayne Rooney and the winner of Ant v Dec is declared. Last in the series. (S)

8.30 You're Back in the Room Diversity pose as mannequins for the hypnotised contestants to decorate, with a general knowledge quiz, flower-arranging task and pizza-making also on the menu. Last in the series. (S)

9.35 The Jonathan Ross Show With Kylie Minogue, Bear Grylls, Ethan Hawke, Clare Balding and James Bay. Last in the series. (S)

10.30 ITV News; Weather (S)
10.50 FILM **Forgetting Sarah Marshall (2008) (15)** A jilted man takes a trip to Hawaii, only to find his ex and her new boyfriend are staying at the same resort. Romantic comedy, with Jason Segel, Kristen Bell and Russell Brand. (S)

12.45 Jackpot247 3.00 The Jeremy Kyle Show USA (S)(R) **3.40** ITV Nightscreen

Channel 4

6.15 How I Met Your Mother (S) **7.05 The King of Queens** (S)(R) **8.00 The Morning Line** A look ahead to this afternoon's racing at Haydock Park and Kempton Park. (S) **9.00 Everybody Loves Raymond** (S)(R) **10.35 Frasier** (S)(R) **11.35 The Big Bang Theory** (S)(R) **12.30 Marvel's Agents of SHIELD** The team comes to the aid of a confused Lady Sif. (S)(R) **1.30 Channel 4 Racing** Live coverage from Haydock Park and Kempton Park. (S) **4.10 Come Dine with Me** A week of dinner parties in Tunbridge Wells, Kent. (S)(R) **5.15 The Simpsons** (S)(R) **6.40 Channel 4 News** (S)

7.00 The Lakes: Walking Through History Tony Robinson walks 50 miles from Penrith to Ambleside and on to the Irish Sea at Ravenglass, exploring how the Romans conquered the Lake District. (S)(R)

8.00 The World's Weirdest Weather A flash flood in New Zealand that washed a dozen eels onto a street, a swarm of seemingly flying spiders in Brazil, and a strange wave that submerged an entire town in Argentina. (S)(R)

9.00 End of the World Night A one-off special exploring cinema's most spectacular doomsday scenes and the many threats to civilisation, with contributions from leading academics. (S)

10.35 FILM **Knowing (2009) (15)** An astrophysicist decodes a page of numbers revealing the dates of a series of disasters and tries to prevent them happening. Mystery thriller, starring Nicolas Cage and Rose Byrne. (S)

12.55 Alan Carr: Chatty Man (S)(R) **1.50** FILM **French Connection II (1975) (18)** Crime thriller sequel, starring Gene Hackman. (S) **3.55** Hollyoaks (S)(R)

Channel 5

6.00 Milkshake! 10.30 SpongeBob SquarePants Double bill. SpongeBob is left in charge at work. **11.05 Access** Showbiz news and gossip. **11.10 Ice Road Truckers** (S)(R) **2.05** FILM **The Devil's Brigade (1968) (PG)** Elite Canadian troops are forced to work with American convicts on a mission in the Norwegian mountains. Second World War adventure, starring William Holden and Cliff Robertson. Edited for daytime broadcast. (S) **4.30 The Nightmare Neighbour Next Door** Noisy chickens make a family's life hell in Yeovil. (S)(R) **5.30 Can't Pay? We'll Take It Away** (S)(R)

7.15 Police Interceptors Jim intercepts a car containing cannabis, a late-night reveller talks himself into trouble and Sgt Baxter has his work cut out when confronted by a dishonest driver. (S)(R)

8.00 5 News Weekend (S)
8.05 NCIS An investigation into a rape and murder revives harrowing memories for Ducky, who once worked on a similar case in which the killer was never captured. (S)(R)

9.00 NCIS: The Port-to-Port Killer An investigation into the death of a seaman leaves the investigators wondering whether Gibbs is about to leave the NCIS again, and Ziva introduces her boyfriend to her team-mates. (S)(R)

10.00 CSI: Crime Scene Investigation The team investigates a suspected hit-and-run. (S)
10.55 FILM **Educating Rita (1983) (15)** A Liverpool hairdresser enrols on an Open University course, bringing much-needed inspiration to a boozy, world-weary tutor. Comedy drama, starring Michael Caine and Julie Walters. (S)

1.05 SuperCasino 3.10 Grand Theft Auto: UK (S)(R) **4.00** Nanna Love: 50 Shades of Granny (S)(R) **4.50** Make It Big (S)(R) **5.15** Angels of Jarm (S)(R) **5.40** Roary the Racing Car (S)(R)

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ITV2 SKY: 118 FV: 6
6.00 Emmerdale **8.35** Coronation Street **12.00** Ant & Dec's Saturday Night Takeaway **1.20** Reggie & Thunderbirds: No Strings Attached **2.25** FILM: Beethoven's 2nd (1993) (U) Comedy sequel, starring Charles Grodin. **4.15** Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records **4.30** Mr Bean **5.40** FILM: Evan Almighty (2007) (PG) Comedy sequel, starring Steve Carell. **7.30** FILM: The Mummy Returns (2001) (PG) Fantasy adventure sequel, starring Brendan Fraser. **10.00** Celebrity Juice: Easter Special **10.50** Ibiza Weekender **11.50** FILM: Death Race (2008) (15) Sci-fi thriller, starring Jason Statham. **1.55** Hell's Kitchen **2.35** Crazy Beaches **3.00** Teleshopping

ITV3 SKY: 119 FV: 10
6.00 Movies Now **6.10** On the Buses **6.40** Carry On Forever **7.40** FILM: Carry On at Your Convenience (1971) (PG) **9.30** FILM: Carry On Loving (1970) (PG) **11.20** FILM: Carry On Jack (1963) (PG) **1.10** FILM: Carry On Cowboy (1966) (U) **3.10** FILM: Carry On Screaming (1966) (PG) Comedy horror, starring Kenneth Williams. **5.05** FILM: Carry On Follow That Camel (1967) (PG) Comedy, with Jim Dale. **7.05** FILM: Carry On Cleo (1964) (PG) Comedy, starring Sid James. **9.00** Carry On Forever **10.00** FILM: Carry On Camping (1969) (PG) Comedy, starring Sid James. **11.50** FILM: 10 Little Indians (1974) (PG) Agatha Christie mystery, starring Oliver Reed. **1.50** On the Buses **2.15** ITV3 Nightscreen **2.30** Teleshopping

BBC3 SKY: 115 FV: 7
7.00 Great Movie Mistakes III: Not in 3D **8.00** Top Gear **9.10** FILM: Pretty Woman (1990) (15) Romantic comedy, starring Julia Roberts and Richard Gere. **11.05** Family Guy **12.35** Killer Magic **1.05** Him & Her: The Wedding **3.30** Great TV Mistakes **4.00** Close

BBC4 SKY: 116 FV: 9
7.00 Chemistry – A Volatile History **8.00** Wild China **9.00** Inspector Montalbano **10.40** Definitely Dusty **11.40** Dusty Springfield at the BBC **12.40** Top of the Pops: 1980 **1.15** Disco at the BBC **2.15** Wild China **3.15** Sounds of the 70s 2: Art House Glam – Get in the Swing **3.45** Close

E4 SKY: 136 FV: 28
6.00 The Tomorrow People **6.45** Marry Me **7.10** Rules of Engagement **8.35** Melissa & Joey **9.30** Taking New York **10.35** Troy **11.25** Rude(ish) Tube Shorts **11.30** Melissa & Joey **12.30** Baby Daddy **1.30** How I Met Your Mother **4.00** The Big Bang Theory **9.00** FILM: Rush Hour 3 (2007) (12) Action comedy sequel, starring Jackie Chan and Chris Tucker. **10.50** Rude Tube **11.50** Troy **12.55** The 100 **1.50** 2 Broke Girls **2.20** How I Met Your Mother **3.50** Taking New York **4.45** Celebrity Come Dine with Me: Made in Chelsea Special

MORE4 SKY: 138 FV: 14
8.55 Jamie's 15 Minute Meals **9.35** Hugh's 3 Good Things: Best Bites **9.40** Time Team **11.50** FILM: Hachi: A Dog's Tale (2009) (U) **1.35** Four in a Bed **4.10** Great Canal Journeys **5.15** Come Dine with Me **7.55** Father Ted **9.00** 8 Out of 10 Cats Does Countdown **10.00** Jimmy Carr: Telling Jokes **11.05** 8 Out of 10 Cats **11.55** Father Ted **1.00** 8 Out of 10 Cats Does Countdown **2.05** 8 Out of 10 Cats **2.55** Jamie's 15 Minute Meals **3.25** Hugh's 3 Good Things: Best Bites **3.35** Close

FILM4 SKY: 315 FV: 15
11.00 The Lost World (1960) (U) **1.00** My Neighbour Totoro (1988) (U) **2.50** Diary of a Wimpy Kid (2010) (PG) **4.40** Inkheart (2008) (PG) Fantasy adventure, starring Brendan Fraser. **6.50** Night at the Museum: Battle of the Smithsonian (2009) (PG) Fantasy comedy sequel, starring Ben Stiller. **9.00** Friends with Benefits (2011) (15) Romantic comedy, starring Justin Timberlake and Mila Kunis. **11.10** Vehicle 19 (2013) (12) Action thriller, starring Paul Walker. **12.50** The Omen (1976) (15) **3.15** Close

DAVE SKY: 111 FV: 12
7.10 Hardliners **8.00** Top Gear **10.00** American Pickers **11.00** Storage Hunters **12.00** Lizard Lick Towing **1.00** Red Dwarf **5.00** Storage Hunters **10.00** Russell Howard's Good News **11.00** Reginald D Hunter Live **12.25** Mock the Week **1.45** Russell Howard's Good News **2.35** Storage Hunters **4.00** Close

SKY1 SKY: 106
6.00 Are You Smarter Than a 10 Year Old? **7.00** Cinderella Special **7.30** Fast & Furious 7 Special **8.00** The Fantasy Football Club **9.00** Wild Things **10.00** Soccer AM **12.00** The F1 Show **1.00** Driving School of Mum and Dad **1.30** Modern Family **4.30** The Colour of Magic **6.30** Disney's Easter Egg Hunt **7.00** The Simpsons **8.30** FILM: The Goonies (1985) (12) Children's adventure, starring Sean Astin. **10.45** Hawaii Five-0 **11.45** NCIS: Los Angeles **1.45** Hawaii Five-0 **2.40** Road Wars **3.10** Danny Dyer's Deadliest Men: Living Dangerously **4.00** Inside Gatwick

SKY ATLANTIC SKY: 108
6.00 Star Trek: Enterprise **8.00** Blue Bloods **12.00** House **3.00** Without a Trace **8.00** Blue Bloods **9.00** The Following **10.00** Game of Thrones **1.40** Curb Your Enthusiasm **2.20** Seinfeld **2.50** The Mind of the Married Man **4.00** Friday Night Lights **5.00** House

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Easter Sunday April 5th

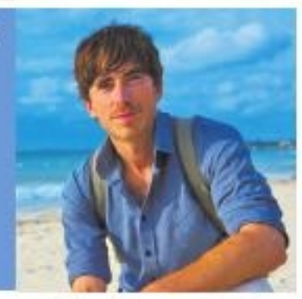
DAYTIME

BBC1

Country-file, 6pm

6.00 Breakfast (S) **7.30 Match of the Day** (S)(R) **9.00 David Suchet: In the Footsteps of St Peter** (S) **10.00 Live Easter Sunday – From Manchester Cathedral** (S) **11.00 Urbi et Orbi** (S) **11.25 Bargain Hunt** (S)(R) **12.15 MOTD2 Extra** (S) **1.00 BBC News;** Weather (S) **1.15 FILM The Muppets (2011) (U)** (S) **2.55 Escape to the Country** Two couples who are looking for homes in rural Dorset. (S)(R) **3.55 The Truth About Fat** Saleyha Ahsan explores the science of fat in food. (S)(R) **4.55 Songs of Praise** (S) **5.30 BBC News** (S) **5.50 BBC Regional News and Weather** (S) **6.00 Countryfile** (S)

BBC2



Caribbean with Simon Reeve, 8pm

6.05 Gardeners' World (S)(R) **6.35 Countryfile** (S)(R) **7.35 The Beechgrove Garden** (S) **8.05 The Gospel of John** (S) **9.00 Saturday Kitchen Best Bites** Highlights of the series. (S) **10.30 Back in Time for Dinner** (S)(R) **11.30 Michel Roux's Service** (S)(R) **1.30 FILM King of Kings (1961) (U)** Biblical epic, starring Jeffrey Hunter. (S) **4.05 Flog It!** From Weston-Super-Mare. (S)(R) **4.50 FILM Prince of Persia: The Sands of Time (2010) (12)** Fantasy adventure, starring Jake Gyllenhaal. (S) **6.35 Pompidou** The heater in the caravan breaks down. Last in the series. (S)

ITV

The Chase: Celebrity Special, 6.30pm

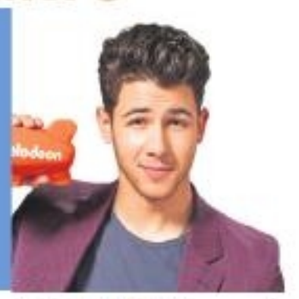
6.00 CITV 7.30 Scrambled!: Scrambled! (S) **7.35 Scrambled!: Nerds & Monsters** (S)(R) **7.50 Scrambled!: The Aquabats! Super Show!** (S)(R) **8.30 Scrambled!: Horrid Henry** (S) **8.50 Scrambled!: Hulk and the Agents of Smash** (S) **9.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show** (S)(R) **12.35 ITV News;** Weather (S) **12.45 Murder, She Wrote** (S)(R) **1.40 River Monsters** (S)(R) **2.10 FILM Agent Cody Banks (2003) (12)** (S) **4.05 Reggie & Thunderbirds: No Strings Attached** (S) **5.05 Catchphrase** (S)(R) **6.00 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) **6.10 ITV News** (S) **6.30 The Chase: Celebrity Special** (S)(R)

Channel 4

Indian Summers, 9pm

6.05 How I Met Your Mother (S) **7.35 Everybody Loves Raymond** (S)(R) **8.30 Frasier** (S)(R) **9.30 Sunday Brunch** With Tinchy Stryder, Jenny Eclair and James Bay. (S) **12.30 George Clarke's Amazing Spaces** A project to turn an air ambulance into an amphibious crash pad. (S)(R) **1.30 The Big Bang Theory** (S)(R) **2.25 The Simpsons** Marge has a nervous breakdown. (S)(R) **2.55 FILM Honey, I Blew Up the Kid (1992) (U)** Disney comedy sequel, starring Rick Moranis. (S) **4.40 FILM Hop (2011) (U)** Part-animated comedy, starring James Marsden. (S) **6.30 Channel 4 News** (S)

Channel 5



Nickelodeon's Kids' Choice Awards 2015, 10.55am

6.00 Milkshake! 9.45 FILM Thomas & Friends: Tale of the Brave (2014) (U) Animated adventure, with the voice of Ben Small. (S) **10.55 Nickelodeon's Kids' Choice Awards 2015** (S) **12.05 FILM Patch Adams (1998) (12)** Comedy drama, with Robin Williams. (S) **2.20 FILM Baby Boom (1987) (PG)** Comedy, starring Diane Keaton. (S) **4.25 FILM Fairytale: A True Story (1997) (U)** Fact-based drama, with Florence Hoath and Elizabeth Earl. (S) **6.15 5 News Weekend** (S) **6.20 FILM Kelly's Heroes (1970) (PG)** Second World War adventure, starring Clint Eastwood. (S)

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7.00 Antiques Roadshow Fiona Bruce and the team visit Belton House in Lincolnshire, where finds include Chairman Mao memorabilia and a funeral standard reportedly snatched from Oliver Cromwell's coffin. (S)

7.00 Springwatch at Easter Chris Packham, Michaela Strachan and Martin Hughes-Games return for a one-off edition of the programme showcasing the best of British wildlife. (S)(R)

7.30 Off Their Rockers Pamela looks for love on a dating app, Seb mixes up his medication and Rosemary takes a peek at her grandson's internet history. (S)

7.00 Three in a Bed A week of competitive B&B hosting, featuring a loud student party, supercar-racing at Silverstone, some cordon-bleu cooking and a slice of rural bliss. (S)

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8.00 Michael McIntyre's Easter Night at the Coliseum The comedian presents an evening of variety from the Coliseum Theatre in London, introducing fellow comics, music superstars and speciality acts. (S)

8.00 Caribbean with Simon Reeve Simon visits Nicaragua and Honduras on the last leg of his journey, before finishing by spending time with young Jamaicans who have rejected gang life. Last in the series. (S)

8.00 Vera New series. The detective investigates a suspicious fire that rips through a holiday park on the coast, destroying three cabins and claiming the life of the resort owner's sister. (S)

8.00 Great Canal Journeys Timothy West and Prunella Scales travel along the Forth and Clyde Canal and the Union Canal in a coast-to-coast adventure from Edinburgh to Glasgow. Last in the series. (S)

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9.00 Poldark Ross tries to form an alliance with his fellow mine-owners to build their own smelting company, Demelza resolves to reconcile Verity with Captain Blamey, and Mark has a new love. (S)

9.00 Louis Theroux: Transgender Kids Louis travels to San Francisco, where he spends time with children who are undergoing gender-reassignment treatment at UCSF Hospital's Child and Adolescent Gender Centre. (S)

9.00 Indian Summers As the British community turns out in force for the murder trial, a guilt-ridden Ian prepares to act as Ramu's alibi, while Leena has a tough time in the witness box. (S)

9.00 FILM Hummingbird (2013) (15) Premiere. A former soldier is drawn into the London underworld, and plots revenge against the gangster who killed his girlfriend. Crime thriller, with Jason Statham. (S)

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10.00 BBC News (S)
10.20 BBC Regional News and Weather (S)
10.30 Match of the Day 2 Mark Chapman reviews the latest Premier League matches. (S)

10.00 Bluestone 42 Ellen and Bird become room-mates. (S)
10.30 Jack Dee – So What? A 2013 performance at London's Hammersmith Apollo by the deadpan comedian. (S)

10.00 ITV News; Weather (S)
10.20 Bear Grylls: Mission Survive The three remaining contenders battle to be crowned winner, as they abseil down a waterfall. Last in the series. (S)(R)

10.05 Gogglebox Capturing the households' instant reactions to what they are watching on TV from the comfort of their own sofas. Narrated by Caroline Aherne. (S)(R)

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11.30 FILM Son of Rambow (2007) (12) Comedy, with Bill Milner and Will Poulter. (S)

11.30 FILM Invincible (2006) (PG) Fact-based sporting drama about an American football fan given the chance to play for his team. With Mark Wahlberg, Greg Kinnear and Elizabeth Banks. (S)

11.20 The Nation's Favourite 70s Number One The 20 greatest hits of the 1970s, as voted for by the public, featuring interviews with hit-makers such as Art Garfunkel and Blondie. (S)(R)

11.10 FILM The Angels' Share (2012) (15) Ken Loach's comedy drama, starring Paul Brannigan and John Henshaw. (S)

11.10 FILM Blitz (2011) (18) Crime thriller, with Jason Statham and Aidan Gillen. (S)

AFTER 12

1.00 Weather for the Week Ahead (S) **1.05** BBC News (S)

1.10 FILM Hooper (1978) (PG) Comedy, starring Burt Reynolds. (S) **2.45** Sign Zone: Countryfile (S)(R) **3.40** Holby City (S)(R) **4.40** This Is BBC Two (S)

12.40 The Store 2.30 The Jeremy Kyle Show USA (S)(R) **3.15** ITV Nightscreen **5.05** The Jeremy Kyle Show (S)(R)

1.00 FILM Qissa: The Tale of a Lonely Ghost (2013) (12) 2.50 Come Dine with Me (S)(R) **3.20** Come Dine with Me (S)(R) **5.05** Jamie's Money Saving Meals (S)(R) **5.30** The Common Denominator (S)(R)

1.10 SuperCasino 3.10 The Gadget Show (S)(R) **4.00** House Doctor (S)(R) **4.25** Make It Big (S)(R) **5.15** Angels of Jarm (S)(R) **5.40** Roary the Racing Car (S)(R)

DIGITAL

ITV2 SKY: 118 FV: 6
6.00 McBusted: The Hot Desk **6.10** Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records **6.35** Emmerdale **9.20** Coronation Street **12.45** Scorpion **1.35** You've Been Framed! **2.05** Mr Bean **3.15** FILM: E.T.: The Extra-Terrestrial (1982) (U) **5.35** Ant & Dec's Saturday Night Takeaway **7.10** FILM: Despicable Me (2010) (U) Animated comedy, with the voice of Steve Carell. **9.00** FILM: Skyfall (2012) (12) James Bond thriller, starring Daniel Craig. **11.55** FILM: Harold & Kumar Get the Munchies (2004) (15) Comedy adventure, starring John Cho and Kal Penn. **1.40** Mom **2.20** Teleshopping **5.50** ITV2 Nightscreen

ITV3 SKY: 119 FV: 10
6.00 Movies Now **6.10** On the Buses **7.00** Carry On Forever **8.05** FILM: Carry On Cruising (1962) (U) **9.55** FILM: Carry On Again Doctor (1969) (PG) **11.45** FILM: Carry On Henry (1971) (PG) **1.35** FILM: Carry On at Your Convenience (1971) (PG) **3.25** FILM: Carry On Loving (1970) (PG) **5.15** FILM: Carry On Matron (1972) (PG) **7.05** FILM: Carry On Up the Jungle (1970) (PG) Comedy, starring Sid James. **9.00** Carry On Forever **10.00** FILM: Carry On Girls (1973) (PG) Comedy, starring Sid James. **11.50** FILM: Steptoe and Son Ride Again (1973) (PG) Comedy, starring Harry H Corbett and Wilfrid Brambell. **1.50** Wycliffe **2.45** On the Buses **3.10** ITV3 Nightscreen **3.40** Emmerdale

BBC3 SKY: 115 FV: 7
7.00 The Voice UK **9.15** FILM: Transsiberian (2008) (15) **11.00** Family Guy **11.45** Killer Magic **12.15** American Dad! **12.35** Family Guy **12.55** Bluestone 42 **1.25** I Survived a Zombie Apocalypse **2.20** Beaten by My Boyfriend **3.20** Great Movie Mistakes 2: The Sequel **3.30** Killer Magic **4.00** Close

BBC4 SKY: 116 FV: 9
7.00 Arena: Oooh Er, Missus! The Frankie Howerd Story **8.00** Shakespeare's Mother: The Secret Life of a Tudor Woman **9.00** Lost Cities of the Ancients **10.00** The Truth About Meteors **11.00** Freddie Mercury: The Great Pretender – Director's Cut **12.25** Queen: The Legendary 1975 Concert **1.15** Mr Blue Sky: The Story of Jeff Lynne and ELO **2.15** Jeff Lynne's ELO at Hyde Park **3.35** Close

E4 SKY: 136 FV: 28
6.00 Rules of Engagement **6.45** Melissa & Joey **8.00** Baby Daddy **9.00** New Girl **10.00** Brooklyn Nine-Nine **10.30** Hollyoaks **1.00** FILM: The NeverEnding Story II: The Next Chapter (1991) (U) **2.45** Rude(ish) Tube Shorts **3.00** The Frozen Phenomenon **4.00** Celebrity Come Dine with Me: Made in Chelsea Special **5.00** The Big Bang Theory **8.00** FILM: My Sister's Keeper (2009) (12) Drama, starring Cameron Diaz. **10.10** The Inbetweeners **12.25** Channel 4's Comedy Gala **1.25** The 100 **2.20** Revenge **3.05** Rules of Engagement **3.45** Hollyoaks

MORE4 SKY: 138 FV: 14
8.55 Jamie's 15 Minute Meals **9.35** Kirstie's Vintage Gems **9.45** Selling Houses with Amanda Lamb **10.45** Great Canal Journeys **11.50** The 100 Greatest Musicals **2.35** Four in a Bed **5.15** Come Dine with Me **8.00** The Restoration Man **9.00** Car SOS **10.00** Obsessive Compulsive Cleaners **11.05** 24 Hours in A&E **12.10** The Restoration Man **1.15** Shameless USA **2.25** Obsessive Compulsive Cleaners **3.25** Kirstie's Vintage Gems **3.40** Close

FILM4 SKY: 315 FV: 15
11.00 Escape from the Planet of the Apes (1971) (PG) **1.00** Ponyo (2008) (U) **3.10** Clueless (1995) (12) **5.05** The Iron Giant (1999) (U) **6.45** The Eagle (2011) (12) **9.00** Snow White & the Huntsman (2012) (12) Fantasy adventure, with Kristen Stewart and Chris Hemsworth. **11.25** From Dusk Till Dawn (1996) (18) Horror, starring George Clooney. **1.35** Damien: Omen II (1978) (18) **3.50** Close

DAVE SKY: 111 FV: 12
7.00 Three Men in More Than One Boat **7.50** Flip Men **8.40** Top Gear **9.40** Storage Hunters **2.40** Top Gear Botswana Special **3.40** Top Gear Winter Olympics Special **4.40** Top Gear: Polar Challenge **5.45** Top Gear Bolivia Special **7.25** Top Gear: Burma Special **10.00** Mock the Week **11.20** Ross Noble: Freewheeling **12.20** Red Dwarf: Back to Earth **1.55** QI **2.25** Mock the Week **3.00** 8 Out of 10 Cats **4.00** Close

SKY1 SKY: 106
6.00 Hour of Power **7.00** Ashley Banjo's Secret Street Crew **8.00** Moone Boy **8.30** Football's Funniest Moments **11.00** WWE: Raw **12.00** David Attenborough's Natural History Museum Alive **1.30** Modern Family **3.30** Greatest Disney Songs **4.30** The Colour of Magic **6.30** The Simpsons **7.00** Wild Things **8.00** The Flash **9.00** Hawaii Five-0 **10.00** NCIS: Los Angeles **11.00** Karl Pilkington: The Moaning of Life **12.00** NCIS: Los Angeles **1.00** Hawaii Five-0 **2.00** Road Wars **3.00** Danny Dyer's Deadliest Men: Living Dangerously **4.00** Inside Gatwick

SKY ATLANTIC SKY: 108
6.00 Star Trek: Enterprise **9.00** Without a Trace **2.00** Seinfeld **5.00** Blue Bloods **9.00** Game of Thrones **12.35** Fortitude **1.35** Curb Your Enthusiasm **2.50** The Mind of the Married Man **4.00** House

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Bank Holiday Monday April 6th

BBC1

A Question of Sport, 10.30pm

6.00 Breakfast (S) **9.00 Neighbourhood Blues** (S)(R) **9.45 Homes Under the Hammer** (S)(R) **10.45 The Sheriffs Are Coming** (S) **11.30 Fake Britain** (S)(R) **12.00 Bargain Hunt** (S)(R) **1.00 BBC News;** Weather; (S) **1.00 BBC Regional News and Weather;** (S) **1.30 The Edge** (S) **2.15 Escape to the Country** (S)(R) **3.15 Home Away from Home** (S)(R) **4.00 Flog It!** (S)(R) **4.45 Super Cute Animals** (S)(R) **5.45 Pointless** Quiz show, hosted by Alexander Armstrong. (S) **6.30 BBC News;** Weather (S) **6.50 BBC Regional News Programmes;** Weather (S)

7
- **7.00 The One Show** Hosted by Alex Jones and Matt Baker. (S)
- **7.30 Wallace & Gromit: A Matter of Loaf and Death** The duo open their own bakery. (S)(R)

8
- **8.00 EastEnders** Buster's return leaves the Carters in shock. (S)
- **8.30 MasterChef** After four weeks of heats, the remaining 12 face the knockout week. Continues on Wednesday. (S)

9
- **9.30 Mrs Brown's Boys** Agnes tries to solve Dermot's relationship problems. (S)(R)

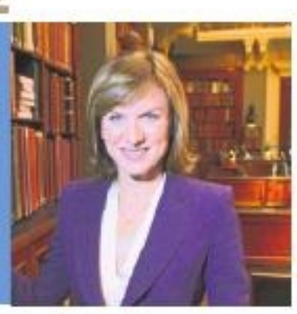
10
- **10.00 BBC News** (S)
- **10.20 BBC Regional News and Weather** (S)
- **10.30 A Question of Sport** With Katharine Merry, Shaun Murphy, Kevin Campbell and Chris Hoy. (S)

11
- **11.00 Live at the Apollo** (S)(R)
- **11.00 Granada/YTV The Super League Show** Highlights from Super League. (S)
- **11.45 The Football League Show** Highlights of the latest games. (S)

AFTER 12

1.05 FILM Far from Home (1989) (18) Thriller, starring Drew Barrymore. (S) **2.30** Weather for the Week Ahead (S) **2.35** BBC News (S)

BBC2



Antiques Roadshow Detectives, 7pm

6.00 Homes Under the Hammer (S)(R) **7.00 FILM Spirit: Stallion of the Cimarron (2002) (U)** (S) **8.15 The Gospel of John** (S) **9.00 Deadly on a Mission: Pole to Pole** (S)(R) **10.00 FILM Splash! (1984) (PG)** (S) **11.40 FILM Gypsy (1962) (PG)** (S) **2.00 Spring Kitchen with Tom Kerridge** (S)(R) **2.45 James Martin's Food Map of Britain** (S) **3.00 Wogan: The Best Of** (S)(R) **3.45 Pete & Dud Talking Comedy** (S) **4.15 Les Dawson Talking Comedy** (S) **4.45 Hi-de-Hi!** (S)(R) **5.30 Vintage Antiques Roadshow** The team values more rarities. (S)(R) **6.30 Eggheads** (S)

- **7.00 Antiques Roadshow Detectives** New series. Stories behind family heirlooms, beginning with an item supposedly from Oliver Cromwell's funeral. (S)
- **7.30 Food & Drink** Ingredients that have fallen out of favour. (S)

- **8.00 University Challenge** The second semi-final. (S)
- **8.30 Morecambe & Wise: Song and Dance** Penelope Keith narrates a look through the archives at the music routines from the comedy duo's shows. (S)(R)

- **9.30 Kew on a Plate** Raymond Blanc and Kate Humble deal with the challenges that winter brings before they reflect on the success of their year at the Royal Botanic Gardens. Last in the series. (S)

- **10.30 FILM The Wedding Video (2012) (15)** Premiere. A would-be film-maker decides to document his brother's wedding on video, only to be met by a series of disasters. Comedy, with Rufus Hound, Lucy Punch and Robert Webb. (S)

12.00 Louis Theroux: Transgender Kids (S)(R) **1.00** Sign Zone: Back in Time for Dinner (S)(R) **2.00** The Big Painting Challenge (S)(R) **3.00** This Is BBC Two (S)

ITV

Coronation Street, 7.30pm

6.00 CITV 7.00 Good Morning Britain (S) **8.30 Lorraine** (S) **9.25 Murder, She Wrote** (S)(R) **10.25 FILM Columbo: Troubled Waters (1975) (PG)** (S) **12.30 O'Brien** (S) **1.25 ITV News** (S) **1.35 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) **1.40 All Star Family Fortunes** (S)(R) **2.25 Judge Rinder** Real-life cases in a studio courtroom. (S)(R) **3.25 Dickinson's Real Deal** The team visits Corby in Northamptonshire. (S) **4.30 Tipping Point** Quiz show, hosted by Ben Shephard. (S) **5.30 The Chase** Quiz show, hosted by Bradley Walsh. (S) **6.30 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) **6.45 ITV News** (S)

- **7.00 Emmerdale** Laurel takes drastic action to find alcohol. (S)
- **7.30 Coronation Street** Anna does her best to encourage Faye to bond with her baby. (S)

- **8.00 More Tales from Northumberland with Robson Green** The actor travels along the English-Scottish border. (S)
- **8.30 Coronation Street** Faye tells Anna that Jackson is the baby's father. (S)

- **9.00 Code of a Killer** Part one of two. Drama telling the true story of a scientist's discovery of DNA fingerprinting and how he helped a detective catch a murderer. David Threlfall and John Simm star. (S)

- **10.30 ITV News;** Weather (S)
- **10.45 The Jonathan Ross Show** The host welcomes Kylie Minogue, Ethan Hawke, Bear Grylls and Clare Balding, and introduces music by James Bay. Last in the series. (S)(R)

- **11.50 Goodwood 73rd Members' Meeting** Amanda Stretton presents coverage of the event. (S)

12.45 Jackpot247 3.00 UEFA Champions League Weekly (S) **3.25** ITV Nightscreen **5.05** The Jeremy Kyle Show (S)(R)

Channel 4

Raised by Wolves, 10pm

6.00 Countdown (S) **6.45 3rd Rock from the Sun** (S)(R) **7.35 Everybody Loves Raymond** (S)(R) **9.00 Frasier** (S)(R) **10.00 The Big Bang Theory** (S)(R) **10.50 The Simpsons** (S)(R) **12.25 FILM The Dark Crystal (1982) (PG)** (S) **2.10 Countdown** With Janet Street-Porter. (S) **3.00 Deal or No Deal** Beat-the-banker game show. (S) **4.00 Come Dine with Me** Four hosts compete in Chelmsford and Brentwood. (S)(R) **5.00 Four in a Bed** The first visit of the week is to the Borgue Hotel in Kirkcudbrightshire. (S) **5.30 Coach Trip** (S) **6.00 The Simpsons** (S)(R) **6.30 Hollyoaks** (S)

- **7.00 Channel 4 News** (S)
- **7.25 Party Election Broadcast** (S)
- **7.30 The Secret Life of Four-Year-Olds** Documentary exploring the world of 10 four-year-olds as they encounter one another in a nursery rigged with cameras. (R)

- **8.30 Travel Man: 48 Hours in Istanbul** Richard Ayoade and Adam Hills spend a weekend in Turkey's largest city. (S)

- **9.00 My Big Fat Gypsy Grand National** One-off special following gypsies and travellers as they descend on the biggest event in the horse-racing calendar. (S)

- **10.00 Raised by Wolves** Della forces the children to attend their uncle Natie's birthday party. (S)
- **10.30 How to Be a Young Billionaire** Documentary following three young British entrepreneurs seeking their fortunes. (S)

- **11.35 First Dates** A fairy-tale fan hopes to meet her Prince Charming. (S)(R)

12.30 24 Hours in A&E (S)(R) **1.30** The Secret Millionaire (S)(R) **2.25** The Fairy Jobmother USA (S) **3.15** Hugh's Three Hungry Boys (S)(R) **4.10** Secret Location (S)(R) **5.05** Phil Spencer: Secret Agent (S)(R)

Channel 5

Gotham, 9pm

6.00 Milkshake! 9.15 The Wright Stuff 11.45 The Hotel Inspector Returns (S)(R) **12.35 5 News Lunchtime** (S) **12.45 Home and Away** (S) **1.15 Neighbours** (S) **1.45 Neighbours 30th: The Stars Reunite** (S)(R) **3.10 FILM William & Kate (2011) (PG)** Fact-based drama, with Nico Evers-Swindell and Camilla Luddington. (S) **5.00 5 News at 5** (S) **5.30 Neighbours** Imogen and Daniel's plight goes from bad to worse. (S)(R) **6.00 Home and Away** Brax's lawyers try to discredit Sam as a witness. (S)(R) **6.30 Party Election Broadcast** (S) **6.35 Car Crash TV** (S)

- **7.00 The Gadget Show** The presenters employ technology to transform their chances of beating professionals at their own game; (S) 5 News Update (S)

- **8.00 Police Interceptors** Officers exercise caution when they stop an uninsured driver who is known to have a violent past; (S) 5 News at 9 (S)

- **9.00 Gotham** Gordon and Bullock visit the school where Dr Crane taught, Bruce takes a fall as he retraces his father's footsteps and Falconer hands control of Fish's old nightclub to Cobblepot. (S)

- **10.00 Person of Interest** The team searches for a playboy, suspected of being a predatory stalker. Meanwhile, the Machine helps Root try to escape from the psychiatric hospital. (S)

- **11.00 FILM Blade: Trinity (2004) (15)** The vampire hunter and a team of ruthless human sidekicks face a showdown with Dracula himself. Fantasy action thriller sequel, with Wesley Snipes. (S)

DIGITAL

ITV2 SKY: 118 FV: 6

6.00 Mr Bean **6.55** Emmerdale **7.20** Coronation Street **8.20** Catchphrase **8.55** The Jeremy Kyle Show: Lie Detector Shockers **12.10** Emmerdale **12.45** Coronation Street **1.50** FILM: Cats & Dogs (2001) (PG) **3.35** FILM: The Mummy Returns (2001) (PG) **6.00** FILM: Nanny McPhee (2005) (U) **8.00** Britain's Got More Talent: Amanda's Top Ten Moments **9.00** FILM: Fast & Furious (2009) (12) **11.10** Celebrity Juice: Easter Special **11.55** Two and a Half Men **12.50** The Vampire Diaries **1.45** Royal Pains **2.30** Teleshopping

ITV3 SKY: 119 FV: 10

6.00 On the Buses **6.25** Carry On Forever **7.30** FILM: That's Carry On (1978) (PG) **9.20** FILM: Carry On Cowboy (1966) (U) **11.20** FILM: Carry On Camping (1969) (PG) **1.05** FILM: Carry On Follow That Camel (1967) (PG) **3.05** FILM: Carry On Up the Jungle (1970) (PG) **5.00** FILM: Carry On Cleo (1964) (PG) **6.50** Murder, She Wrote **7.55** Wycliffe **9.00** Long Lost Family **10.00** Law & Order: UK **11.00** Wire in the Blood **12.35** Cracker **1.50** Judge Judy **2.10** ITV3 Nightscreen **2.30** Teleshopping

BBC3 SKY: 115 FV: 7

7.00 Kung Fu Panda: Secrets of the Masters **7.20** The Book of Dragons **7.40** Dragons: Gift of the Night Fury **8.00** First Flight **8.10** FILM: Raiders of the Lost Ark (1981) (PG) Action adventure, starring Harrison Ford and Karen Allen. **10.00** Bluestone 42 **10.30** EastEnders **11.00** Family Guy **11.45** American Dad! **12.10** Family Guy **12.30** Bluestone 42 **1.00** Killer Magic **1.30** World's Toughest Jobs **2.30** A Nation Divided? The Charlie Hebdo Aftermath **3.30** Bluestone 42 **4.00** Close

BBC4 SKY: 116 FV: 9

7.00 Great Continental Railway Journeys **8.00** Bombay Railway **10.00** FILM: The Titfield Thunderbolt (1953) (PG) **11.20** Timeshift: The Nation's Railway: The Golden Age of British Rail **12.20** Bombay Railway **2.25** Timeshift: The Nation's Railway: The Golden Age of British Rail **3.25** Close

E4 SKY: 136 FV: 28

6.00 Hollyoaks **6.25** Happy Endings **6.45** Charmed **7.35** Made in Chelsea **8.35** Rules of Engagement **9.30** Melissa & Joey **10.00** Charmed **12.00** Hollyoaks **12.30** The Frozen Phenomenon **1.30** The Big Bang Theory: Access All Areas **2.00** The Big Bang Theory: Weird Science **7.00** Hollyoaks **7.30** How I Met Your Mother **8.00** The Big Bang Theory **9.00** Revenge **10.00** Made in Chelsea Does Come Dine with Me **11.00** The Big Bang Theory **12.00** Rude Tube **1.00** Brooklyn Nine-Nine **1.30** How I Met Your Mother **2.25** Don't Trust the B**** in Apartment 23 **3.05** Supernatural **3.55** Revenge **4.40** Charmed

MORE4 SKY: 138 FV: 14

8.55 Location, Location, Location **10.00** Four in a Bed **12.45** FILM: Gentlemen Prefer Blondes (1953) (U) **2.35** The 100 Greatest Musicals **5.15** Come Dine with Me **7.55** Grand Designs **9.00** Location, Location, Location **10.00** 24 Hours in A&E **12.10** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA **1.10** 24 Hours in A&E **2.15** Location, Location, Location **3.20** River Cottage Bites **3.40** Close

FILM4 SKY: 315 FV: 15

11.00 The Wind Rises (2013) (PG) **1.30** Spy Kids 4: All the Time in the World (2011) (PG) **3.10** Horton Hears a Who! (2008) (U) **4.50** The Golden Compass (2007) (PG) **7.00** 10 Things I Hate About You (1999) (12) **9.00** Avatar (2009) (12) **12.10** The Number 23 (2007) (15) **2.05** From Up on Poppy Hill (2011) (U) **4.00** Close

DAVE SKY: 111 FV: 12

7.00 Storage Hunters **7.20** Bush Pilots **8.10** Top Gear: Burma Special **10.40** Top Gear Botswana Special **11.40** Top Gear Winter Olympics Special **12.40** Top Gear: Polar Challenge **1.45** Top Gear Bolivia Special **3.25** Top Gear: Burma Special **6.00** Red Bull Rampage **7.00** Storage Hunters **8.00** Ross Noble: Freewheeling **9.00** Red Dwarf: Back to Earth **10.35** 8 Out of 10 Cats **11.00** QI **11.40** Mock the Week **12.20** 8 Out of 10 Cats **12.55** Storage Hunters **1.25** Lizard Lick Towing **1.50** QI XL **3.35** Storage Hunters **4.00** Close

SKY1 SKY: 106

6.00 David Attenborough's Natural History Museum Alive **7.30** Greatest Disney Songs **8.30** NCIS: Los Angeles **12.30** Disney's Easter Egg Hunt **1.00** Modern Family **1.30** The Simpsons **3.00** Modern Family **4.00** Futurama **5.00** The Simpsons **5.30** Futurama **6.30** The Simpsons **8.00** Modern Family **8.30** Driving School of Mum and Dad **9.00** Moone Boy **9.45** Chris O'Dowd's Little Cracker **10.00** Disney's Easter Egg Hunt **10.30** Arrow **11.30** Critical **12.30** Hawaii Five-0 **3.10** NCIS: Los Angeles **5.00** Stargate Atlantis

SKY ATLANTIC SKY: 108

6.00 Seinfeld **7.00** Stargate SG-1 **8.00** Stargate Atlantis **9.00** Star Trek: Enterprise **10.00** House **11.00** Blue Bloods **12.00** Without a Trace **1.00** Seinfeld **2.05** Stargate SG-1 **4.00** Stargate Atlantis **5.00** Star Trek: Enterprise **6.00** House **7.00** Blue Bloods **8.00** Without a Trace **9.00** Game of Thrones: Greatest Moments **11.00** Last Week Tonight with John Oliver **11.35** The Newsroom **2.00** Boardwalk Empire **3.10** The Sopranos **4.10** Stargate SG-1 **5.05** Star Trek: Enterprise

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Tuesday April 7th

BBC1

The One Show, 7pm

DAYTIME

6.00 Breakfast (S) **9.15 Neighbourhood Blues** (S)(R) **10.00 Homes Under the Hammer** (S)(R) **11.00 The Sheriffs Are Coming** (S) **11.45 Fake Britain** (S)(R) **12.15 Bargain Hunt** (S)(R) **1.00 BBC News;** Weather; (S) **1.00 BBC Regional News and Weather;** (S) **1.45 The Edge** (S) **2.30 Escape to the Country** Two couples search for properties in Sussex. (S)(R) **3.30 Home Away from Home** (S)(R) **4.15 Flog It!** (S) **5.15 Pointless** (S) **6.00 BBC News;** Weather (S) **6.30 BBC Regional News Programmes;** Weather (S) **6.55 Party Election Broadcast** (S)(R)

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7.00 The One Show Live chat and topical reports. (S)
7.30 EastEnders Buster comes to blows with Mick; (S) BBC News; Regional News (S)

8

8.00 Holby City Jonny is released from prison but it seems there will be no chance of a quiet return to work. Sacha is delighted to see Essie again, while Arthur suffers first-day nerves on AAU. (S)

9

9.00 Ordinary Lies Rick's marriage runs into trouble so Mike offers to put him up for a few nights – only for the mechanic to form a dangerous bond with his boss's carefree teenage daughter. (S)

10

10.00 BBC News (S)
10.25 BBC Regional News and Weather; (S) National Lottery Update (S)
10.45 Hole in the Road Inspectors The work of Leeds City Council road-workers. (S)

11

11.35 FILM A Bunch of Amateurs (2008) (15) Comedy, starring Burt Reynolds, Imelda Staunton and Derek Jacobi. (S)

AFTER 12

1.05 Weather for the Week Ahead (S) **1.10** BBC News (S)

BBC2

Back in Time for Dinner, 8pm

6.15 Homes Under the Hammer (S)(R) **7.15 Flog It! Trade Secrets 8.15 Sign Zone: Your Home in Their Hands** (S)(R) **9.15 Victoria Derbyshire Show** (S) **11.00 BBC News** (S) **11.30 BBC World News** (S) **12.00 Daily Politics** (S) **1.00 The Super League Show** (S) **1.45 Golf: The Masters Review** (S) **2.45 James Martin's Food Map of Britain** (S)(R) **2.55 Spring Kitchen with Tom Kerridge** (S)(R) **3.40 Are You Being Served?** (S)(R) **4.10 'Allo 'Allo!** (S)(R) **4.45 Hi-de-Hi!** (S)(R) **5.15 Vintage Antiques Roadshow** (S)(R) **5.55 Party Election Broadcast** (S) **6.00 Eggheads** (S) **6.30 Antiques Roadshow Detectives** (S)

7.00 Collectaholics New series. Jasmine Harman and antiques expert Mark Hill help more people organise their collections, including a woman with a vast number of items of royal memorabilia. (S)

8.00 Back in Time for Dinner The Robshaws get to grips with the home life and food of the 1980s as they learn about the culinary treats and trends of the decade, including the arrival of nouvelle cuisine. (S)

9.00 Dara and Ed's Great Big Adventure Ed Byrne and Dara O Briain come to the end of their Pan-American journey, travelling through the Costa Rican mountains to their final destination in Panama. (S)

10.00 Bluestone 42 Ellen and Bird become room-mates. (S)(R)
10.30 Newsnight (S)

11.15 Weather (S)
11.20 Newsbeat Election Debate New series. Tina Daheley and Chris Smith host the first of three discussions, with 100 young people. From Leeds. (S)

12.20 Caribbean with Simon Reeve (S)(R) **1.20** Sign Zone: Antiques Roadshow (S)(R) **2.20** The Ladykillers: Pest Detectives (S)(R) **3.20** This Is BBC Two (S)

ITV

Emmerdale, 7pm

6.00 Good Morning Britain (S) **8.30 Lorraine** (S) **9.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show** (S) **10.30 This Morning** (S) **10.55 ITV News;** Weather (S) **11.00 This Morning** (S) **12.30 O'Brien** (S) **1.30 ITV News** (S) **1.55 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) **2.00 Judge Rinder** Real-life cases in a studio courtroom. (S)(R) **3.00 Dickinson's Real Deal** (S) **3.59 ITV Regional Weather** (S) **4.00 Tipping Point** Quiz show, hosted by Ben Shephard. (S) **5.00 The Chase** Quiz show, hosted by Bradley Walsh. (S) **6.00 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) **6.25 Party Election Broadcast** (S)(R) **6.30 ITV News** (S)

7.00 Emmerdale Aaron finds himself in danger. (S)
7.30 Spotlight – David Cameron: Tonight New series. The first of five interviews with the main party leaders. (S)

8.00 Midsomer Murders As Midsomer St Claire prepares for storms and flooding, it appears a murderer is using ancient torture methods to punish modern-day "sinners". (S)(R)

10.00 ITV News and Weather (S)
10.30 ITV Regional News; Weather (S)
10.40 Benidorm Madge's new boyfriend has a diving competition with the Oracle. (S)(R)

11.10 FILM Carry On at Your Convenience (1971) (PG) Comedy, starring Sid James and Kenneth Williams. (S)

12.50 Jackpot247 3.00 Spotlight – David Cameron: Tonight (S)(R) **3.25** ITV Nightscreen **5.05** The Jeremy Kyle Show (S)(R)

Channel 4

Burger Bar to Gourmet Star, 8pm

6.00 Countdown (S)(R) **6.45 3rd Rock from the Sun** (S)(R) **7.35 Everybody Loves Raymond** (S)(R) **8.30 Frasier** (S)(R) **9.25 Four in a Bed** (S)(R) **10.30 Come Dine with Me** (S)(R) **12.00 Channel 4 News** (S) **12.05 Come Dine with Me** (S)(R) **1.05 A Place in the Sun: Home or Away** (S)(R) **2.10 Countdown** With Janet Street-Porter. (S) **3.00 Deal or No Deal** Beat-the-banker game show. (S) **4.00 Come Dine with Me** Dinner parties in Torquay and Torbay. (S)(R) **5.00 Four in a Bed** (S) **5.30 Coach Trip** (S) **6.00 The Simpsons** (S)(R) **6.30 Hollyoaks** (S)

7.00 Channel 4 News (S)
7.55 Party Election Broadcast (S)

8.00 Burger Bar to Gourmet Star A cafe worker spends three weeks with mentor Tom Sellers in London, before trying to pass himself off as a professional at Mirazur in France, one of the world's best restaurants. (S)

9.00 One Born Every Minute A single mother cannot wait to meet the baby she thought would never happen, while teenage parents pull together for the challenges ahead following an unplanned pregnancy. (S)

10.00 The Billion Pound Hotel A look inside the Burj Al Arab in Dubai, dubbed the world's most luxurious hotel, following the stories of a variety of guests who pay anything up to £10,000 a night for a suite. (S)(R)

11.00 Teens James is about to meet Shauna for a second date, but his best friend Peter also has feelings for her, while Melissa faces pressure to take her relationship to the next level. (S)

12.00 Poker (S) **12.55** KOTV Boxing Weekly (S) **1.25 FILM The Savages (2007) (15)** (S) **3.15** Secret Location (S)(R) **4.10** Phil Spencer: Secret Agent (S)(R) **5.05** Deal or No Deal (S)(R)

Channel 5

Britain's Horror Homes, 8pm

6.00 Milkshake! 9.15 The Wright Stuff 11.10 The Hotel Inspector Returns (S)(R) **12.10 5 News Lunchtime** (S) **12.15 The Nightmare Neighbour Next Door** (S)(R) **1.15 Home and Away** (S) **1.45 Neighbours** (S) **2.20 NCIS: The Port-to-Port Killer** A Navy lieutenant is found dead at the Pentagon. (S)(R) **3.15 FILM Fatal Trust (2006) (12)** Crime drama, starring Amy Jo Johnson. (S) **5.00 5 News at 5** (S) **5.30 Neighbours** Josh races to stop Kyle from filling the well. (S)(R) **6.00 Home and Away** (S)(R) **6.30 5 News Tonight** (S) **6.55 Party Election Broadcast** (S)

7.00 Police Interceptors Officers exercise caution when they stop an uninsured driver who is known to have a violent past; (S) (R) 5 News Update (S)

8.00 Britain's Horror Homes New series. People whose properties became living nightmares, including a couple faced with a huge sinkhole that opened up just two metres from the front door of their B&B; (S) 5 News at 9 (S)

9.00 Benefits & Bypasses: Billion Pound Patients Documentary about how health problems caused by people who drink, smoke and eat to excess are costing the NHS a fortune. Part of the Brazen Britain season. (S)

10.00 My Sister Had My Boyfriend's Baby – and Other Betrayals The stories of people involved in family feuds, including a woman who discovered that her partner was having an affair with her sister. (S)

11.00 OAPs Behaving Badly Three sixtysomething Barnsley women go to Tenerife for a four-day party. (S)(R)
11.55 Glasgow's Killing Streets (S)(R)

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ITV2 SKY: 118 FV: 6

6.00 Mark Ronson: The Hot Desk **6.10** All Star Family Fortunes **7.05** Emmerdale **7.35** Coronation Street **8.35** Dinner Date **9.35** Ben and Kate **10.00** Up All Night **10.25** Psych **11.20** Royal Pains **12.15** Emmerdale **12.45** Coronation Street **1.45** Dinner Date **2.40** The Jeremy Kyle Show **6.00** You've Been Framed! **8.00** Britain's Got More Talent: Alesha's Top Ten Moments **9.00** Hell's Kitchen **10.00** FILM: Death Race (2008) (15) **12.10** Two and a Half Men **1.05** Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records **1.30** Royal Pains **2.15** Teleshopping **5.45** ITV2 Nightscreen

ITV3 SKY: 119 FV: 10

6.00 French Fields **6.25** Wycliffe **7.30** Heartbeat **8.35** Where the Heart Is **9.40** The Royal **10.40** Judge Judy **12.00** Murder, She Wrote **1.00** Heartbeat **2.05** Where the Heart Is **3.10** The Royal **4.15** French Fields **4.50** Rising Damp **5.20** On the Buses **5.55** Heartbeat **6.55** Murder, She Wrote **8.00** Love Your Garden **9.00** Harry at 30 **10.00** Law & Order: UK **11.00** Wire in the Blood **12.40** Wycliffe **1.30** The Royal **2.20** ITV3 Nightscreen **2.30** Teleshopping

BBC3 SKY: 115 FV: 7

7.00 Snog, Marry, Avoid? **8.00** Don't Tell the Bride **9.00** Meth and Madness in Mexico: Stacey Dooley Investigates **10.00** Killer Magic **10.30** EastEnders **11.00** Family Guy **11.45** American Dad! **12.10** Family Guy **12.30** Meth and Madness in Mexico: Stacey Dooley Investigates **1.30** Killer Magic **2.00** Beaten by My Boyfriend **2.55** Meth and Madness in Mexico: Stacey Dooley Investigates **3.55** Close

BBC4 SKY: 116 FV: 9

7.00 World News Today; Weather **7.30** Great Continental Railway Journeys **8.00** Every Breath We Take: Understanding Our Atmosphere **9.00** The Normans **10.00** A Very British Airline **11.00** Bombay Railway **12.00** Timeshift: Mods, Rockers and Bank Holiday Mayhem **1.00** Every Breath We Take: Understanding Our Atmosphere **2.00** A Very British Airline **3.00** The Normans **4.00** Close

E4 SKY: 136 FV: 28

6.00 Hollyoaks **6.25** Happy Endings **6.45** Charmed **7.35** Made in Chelsea **8.35** Rules of Engagement **9.30** Melissa & Joey **10.00** Charmed **12.00** Hollyoaks **12.30** Rules of Engagement **1.00** How I Met Your Mother **2.00** The Big Bang Theory **3.00** Baby Daddy **3.30** Melissa & Joey **4.00** The Big Bang Theory **5.00** How I Met Your Mother **6.00** The Big Bang Theory **7.00** Hollyoaks **7.30** How I Met Your Mother **8.00** Brooklyn Nine-Nine **8.30** The Big Bang Theory **9.00** The 100 **10.00** Supernatural **11.00** The Big Bang Theory **12.00** Rude Tube **1.00** Rules of Engagement **2.00** How I Met Your Mother **2.40** Rude Tube **3.35** Made in Chelsea **4.30** Charmed

MORE4 SKY: 138 FV: 14

8.55 Location, Location, Location **11.10** River Cottage Bites **11.30** FILM: The Spoilers (1955) (12) **1.10** Time Team **3.20** A Place in the Sun: Home or Away **4.20** A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun **5.25** Jamie's 15 Minute Meals **5.55** Come Dine with Me **7.00** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA **7.55** Grand Designs **9.00** Selling Houses with Amanda Lamb **10.00** Embarrassing Bodies: Penis Special **11.05** 24 Hours in A&E **12.10** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA **1.10** Come Dine with Me **2.15** Embarrassing Bodies: Penis Special **3.20** Kirstie's Vintage Gems **3.40** Close

FILM4 SKY: 315 FV: 15

11.00 Princess Mononoke (2001) (PG) **1.50** Inspector Gadget (1999) (U) **3.25** The Rugrats Movie (1999) (U) **5.00** The Spiderwick Chronicles (2008) (PG) **6.50** 27 Dresses (2008) (12) **9.00** Transporter 3 (2008) (15) **11.05** Milius (2013) (15) **1.10** Conan the Barbarian (1982) (15) **3.50** Close

DAVE SKY: 111 FV: 12

7.00 Storage Hunters **7.20** Traffic Cops **8.10** Top Gear **10.00** Storage Hunters **11.00** Three Men in a Boat **12.00** Top Gear **2.00** Storage Hunters **2.30** Traffic Cops **3.30** Storage Hunters **4.00** Three Men in a Boat **5.00** Top Gear **7.00** Storage Hunters **8.00** QI XL **10.00** Ross Noble: Freewheeling **11.00** QI **11.40** Mock the Week **12.20** 8 Out of 10 Cats **12.55** Storage Hunters **1.25** Lizard Lick Towing **1.50** Ross Noble: Freewheeling **2.50** QI **3.25** Mock the Week **4.00** Close

SKY1 SKY: 106

6.00 The Real A&E **7.00** The Colour of Magic **9.00** NCIS: Los Angeles **11.00** Hawaii Five-0 **1.00** NCIS: Los Angeles **3.00** The Holidaymakers **4.00** Futurama **5.00** The Simpsons **5.30** Futurama **6.30** The Simpsons **8.00** The Flash **9.00** Critical **10.00** Forever **11.00** NCIS: Los Angeles **12.00** Hawaii Five-0 **2.40** NCIS: Los Angeles **5.10** Stargate Atlantis

SKY ATLANTIC SKY: 108

6.00 Seinfeld **7.00** Stargate SG-1 **8.00** Stargate Atlantis **9.00** Star Trek: Enterprise **10.00** House **11.00** Blue Bloods **12.00** Without a Trace **1.00** Seinfeld **2.00** Stargate SG-1 **4.00** Stargate Atlantis **5.00** Star Trek: Enterprise **6.00** House **7.00** Blue Bloods **8.00** Without a Trace **9.00** The Following **10.00** FILM: Tales of the Grim Sleeper (2014) (15) **12.05** Silicon Valley **1.15** Ray Donovan **2.25** The Sopranos **3.25** Vegas **4.15** Stargate SG-1 **5.10** Star Trek: Enterprise

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Wednesday April 8th

BBC1

Match of the Day: FA Cup Highlights, **10.45pm**

DAYTIME

6.00 Breakfast (S) **9.15 Neighbourhood Blues** (S)(R) **10.00 Homes Under the Hammer** (S)(R) **11.00 The Sheriffs Are Coming** (S) **11.45 Fake Britain** (S)(R) **12.15 Bargain Hunt** (S) **1.00 BBC News;** Weather; (S) **1.00 BBC Regional News and Weather;** (S) **1.45 The Edge** (S) **2.30 Escape to the Country** Two couples search for their dream rural retreats in Devon. (S)(R) **3.30 Home Away from Home** (S)(R) **4.15 Flog It!** (S) **5.15 Pointless** (S) **6.00 BBC News;** Weather (S) **6.30 BBC Regional News Programmes;** Weather (S) **6.55 Party Election Broadcast** (S)(R)

7

7.00 The One Show Matt Baker and Alex Jones present the live magazine show featuring topical reports from around the UK and big-name studio guests; (S) BBC News; Regional News (S)

8

8.00 MasterChef The group is split into two, with five of them making lunch for diners at London restaurant Typing Room – and then preparing a dish for formidable perfectionist Monica Galetti. Continues tomorrow. (S)

9

9.00 Secret Britain New series. Ellie Harrison and Adam Henson explore hidden corners of the landscape, beginning in Wales' Brecon Beacons, with Britain's deepest cave and a waterfall walkway. (S)

10

10.00 BBC News (S)
10.25 BBC Regional News and Weather; (S) National Lottery Update (S)
10.45 Match of the Day: FA Cup Highlights Blackburn Rovers v Liverpool. (S)

11

11.15 FILM Fifty Dead Men Walking (2008) (15) Fact-based thriller about Belfast police informant Martin McGartland. With Jim Sturgess and Ben Kingsley. (S)

AFTER 12

1.05 Weather for the Week Ahead (S) **1.10** BBC News (S)

BBC2

Collecta-holics, **7pm**

6.15 Homes Under the Hammer (S)(R) **7.15 Flog It! Trade Secrets** (S) **8.15 Sign Zone: An Island Parish: Falklands** (S)(R) **8.45 Sign Zone: Helicopter Heroes Down Under** (S)(R) **9.15 Victoria Derbyshire Show** (S) **11.00 BBC News** (S) **11.30 BBC World News** (S) **12.00 Daily Politics** (S) **1.00 Cagney & Lacey** (S)(R) **1.50 Animal Park** (S)(R) **2.20 Spring Kitchen with Tom Kerridge** (S)(R) **3.05 Floyd on France** (S)(R) **3.45 Are You Being Served?** (S)(R) **4.15 'Allo 'Allo!** (S)(R) **4.45 Hi-de-Hi!** (S)(R) **5.15 Vintage Antiques Roadshow** (S)(R) **5.55 Party Election Broadcast** (S) **6.00 Eggheads** (S) **6.30 Antiques Roadshow Detectives** (S)

7.00 Collectaholics Jasmine Harman and Mark Hill meet a man who collects toys from the 1970s and 80s, and help two brothers decide what to do with their collection of cuckoo clocks. (S)

8.00 The Ladykillers: Pest Detectives Imogen has to employ extreme measures to deal with a particularly bad infestation of bedbugs, while Deborah tackles a population of poison-resistant rats on a small Surrey farm. (S)

9.00 Britain's Jihadi Brides Documentary examining why more than 60 British women have travelled to join the Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant, and revealing the Islamist group's recruiting tactics. (S)

10.00 QI With Bill Bailey, Sandi Toksvig and Jason Manford. (S)(R)
10.30 Newsnight (S)

11.15 Weather (S)
11.20 Golf: The Masters Preview (S)
11.50 Dara and Ed's Great Big Adventure Ed Byrne and Dara O Briain come to the end of their Pan-American journey. (S)(R)

12.50 Sign Zone: The Billion Dollar Chicken Shop (S)(R) **1.50** The Big Painting Challenge (S)(R) **2.50** Modern Times: 24 Hour Parcel People (S)(R) **3.50** This Is BBC Two (S)

ITV

Big Star's Little Star, **8pm**

6.00 Good Morning Britain (S) **8.30 Lorraine** (S) **9.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show** (S) **10.30 This Morning** (S) **10.55 ITV News;** Weather (S) **11.00 This Morning** (S) **12.30 O'Brien** (S) **1.30 ITV News** (S) **1.55 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) **2.00 Judge Rinder** Real-life cases in a studio courtroom. (S)(R) **3.00 Dickinson's Real Deal** (S) **3.59 ITV Regional Weather** (S) **4.00 Tipping Point** Quiz show, hosted by Ben Shephard. (S) **5.00 The Chase** Quiz show, hosted by Bradley Walsh. (S) **6.00 ITV Regional News;** Weather (S) **6.25 Party Election Broadcast** (S)(R) **6.30 ITV News** (S)

7.00 Emmerdale Chas and Robert go out searching for Aaron. (S)
7.30 Coronation Street Anna tells Jackson and his parents about Faye's baby. (S)

8.00 Big Star's Little Star Playing to win thousands of pounds for charity this week are Radio 2 DJ Jo Whiley, Emmerdale actor Dominic Brunt (Paddy Kirk) and Countdown host Nick Hewer. Last in the series. (S)

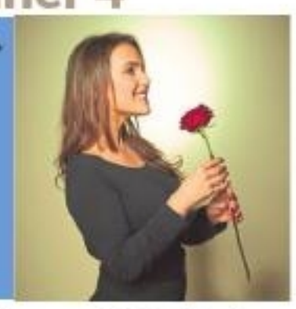
9.00 DCI Banks Part two of two. The team traces Hexton to Gerald and Elaine Foster's house, but it is too late – the former undercover officer has kidnapped lap-dancer Melanie. Last in the series. (S)

10.00 ITV News and Weather (S)
10.30 ITV Regional News; Weather (S)
10.40 Pop Gold Archive musical clips rounding up pop and rock relations of all kinds, featuring performances by the Carpenters, Bros and many more. (S)

11.40 Corfu: A Tale of Two Islands A former holiday rep talks about her career as a wedding planner. (S)(R)

12.10 Jackpot247 3.00 The Jeremy Kyle Show USA (S)(R) **3.40** ITV Nightscreen **5.05** The Jeremy Kyle Show (S)(R)

Channel 4



First Dates, **10pm**

6.00 Countdown (S) **6.45 3rd Rock from the Sun** (S)(R) **7.35 Everybody Loves Raymond** (S)(R) **8.30 Frasier** (S)(R) **9.25 Four in a Bed** (S)(R) **10.30 Come Dine with Me** (S)(R) **12.00 Channel 4 News** (S) **12.05 Come Dine with Me** (S)(R) **1.05 A Place in the Sun: Home or Away** (S)(R) **2.10 Countdown** With Janet Street-Porter. (S) **3.00 Deal or No Deal** Beat-the-banker game show. (S) **4.00 Come Dine with Me** Four dinner parties in south-east London. (S)(R) **5.00 Four in a Bed** (S) **5.30 Coach Trip** (S) **6.00 The Simpsons** (S)(R) **6.30 Hollyoaks** Theresa makes a shocking discovery. (S)

7.00 Channel 4 News (S)
7.55 Party Election Broadcast (S)

8.00 Supercars: The Million Pound Motors With annual sales of supercars now topping £4billion, this First Cut documentary meets the men and women selling these luxury vehicles to Britain's rich and famous. (S)

9.00 The Island with Bear Grylls New series. The survival challenge returns, with men and women taking part on separate Pacific islands. The male participants are forced to tackle fierce currents to swim ashore. (S)

10.00 First Dates A charmer gets to know a primary school teacher, a hairdresser is left waiting for her date to turn up, and a singer-songwriter aims to impress an English student. (S)

11.00 One Born Every Minute After taking more than six years to conceive, childhood sweethearts anxiously wait for their baby's arrival. (S)(R)

12.05 16 Kids and Counting (S)(R) **1.00** Mary Portas: Secret Shopper (S)(R) **1.55 FILM Reindeer Games (2000) (15)** (S) **3.40** Secret Location (S)(R) **4.35** Phil Spencer: Secret Agent (S)(R) **5.35** The Common Denominator (S)(R)

Channel 5

OAPs Behaving Badly, **9pm**

6.00 Milkshake! 9.15 The Wright Stuff 11.10 The Hotel Inspector Returns (S)(R) **12.10 5 News Lunchtime** (S) **12.15 The Nightmare Neighbour Next Door** (S)(R) **1.15 Home and Away** (S) **1.45 Neighbours** (S) **2.15 NCIS: New Orleans** A naval commander is murdered. (S)(R) **3.15 FILM Wandering Eye (2011) (PG)** Thriller, starring Amanda Righetti. (S) **5.00 5 News at 5** (S) **5.30 Neighbours** Matt is rushed back into theatre after his surgery. (S)(R) **6.00 Home and Away** (S)(R) **6.30 5 News Tonight** (S) **6.55 Party Election Broadcast** By the Labour Party. (S)

7.00 GPs: Behind Closed Doors Dr Ferdinand has to break the news of a woman's dementia to her children, while Dr Trinh fears a patient is putting herself at risk by not taking blood pressure tablets; (S)(R) 5 News Update (S)

8.00 The Nightmare Neighbour Next Door A couple trying to renovate a barn are forced to live in a caravan during a long-running dispute with their neighbour; (S) 5 News at 9 (S)

9.00 OAPs Behaving Badly A retired hairdresser hits the Edinburgh dance floors in outrageous, kinky outfits, while a retired banker and his Russian wife party the nights away in the clubs of Tenerife. (S)

10.00 Dangerous Dog Owners & Proud People whose dogs are either illegal, trained to be dangerous, or both, including a man who can make his red-nosed pit bull behave aggressively with a simple command. (S)(R)

11.00 Benefits & Bypasses: Billion Pound Patients Documentary about how health problems caused by people who drink, smoke and eat to excess are costing the NHS a fortune. (S)(R)

12.00 My Sister Had My Boyfriend's Baby – and Other Betrayals (S)(R) **1.00** SuperCasino **3.10** Gangs & Guns: Caught on Camera (S)(R) **4.00** Wildlife SOS (S)(R) **4.25** Divine Designs (S)(R) **4.45** House Doctor (S)(R)

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ITV2 SKY: 118 FV: 6

6.00 Life's Funniest Moments **6.20** Psych **7.05** Emmerdale **7.35** You've Been Framed! **8.35** Dinner Date **9.35** Ben and Kate **10.00** Up All Night **10.25** Psych **11.20** Royal Pains **12.15** Emmerdale **12.45** The Cube **1.45** Dinner Date **2.40** The Jeremy Kyle Show **6.00** You've Been Framed! **8.00** FILM: Skyfall (2012) (12) **10.50** FILM: Harold & Kumar Get the Munchies (2004) (15) **12.40** Two and a Half Men **1.10** Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records **1.40** Royal Pains **2.25** Teleshopping **5.55** ITV2 Nightscreen

ITV3 SKY: 119 FV: 10

6.00 French Fields **6.25** Wycliffe **7.30** Heartbeat **8.35** Where the Heart Is **9.40** The Royal **10.40** Judge Judy **12.00** Murder, She Wrote **1.00** Heartbeat **2.05** Where the Heart Is **3.05** The Royal **4.10** Never the Twain **4.45** Rising Damp **5.20** On the Buses **5.55** Heartbeat **6.55** Murder, She Wrote **8.00** Rosemary & Thyme **9.00** The Zoo **10.00** Law & Order: UK **11.00** Wycliffe **12.10** City Lights **1.10** The Royal **2.00** ITV3 Nightscreen **2.30** Teleshopping

BBC3 SKY: 115 FV: 7

7.00 The Best of Top Gear **8.00** Don't Tell the Bride **9.00** FILM: Enemy of the State (1998) (15) **11.05** Family Guy **11.50** American Dad! **12.10** Family Guy **12.35** Killer Magic **1.05** Meth and Madness in Mexico: Stacey Dooley Investigates **2.00** I Survived a Zombie Apocalypse **3.00** Tom Felton Meets the Superfans **4.00** Close

BBC4 SKY: 116 FV: 9

7.00 World News Today; Weather **7.30** Railways of the Great War with Michael Portillo **8.00** Great Irish Journeys with Martha Kearney **8.30** The Quizeum **9.00** Treasures of Ancient Greece **10.00** Secret Knowledge: The Body Beautiful – Ancient Greeks, Good Looks and Glamour **10.30** Bombay Railway **11.30** Full Throttle – The Glory Days of British Motorbikes **12.30** Shakespeare's Mother: The Secret Life of a Tudor Woman **1.30** The Quizeum **2.00** Secret Knowledge: The Body Beautiful – Ancient Greeks, Good Looks and Glamour **2.30** Treasures of Ancient Greece **3.30** Close

E4 SKY: 136 FV: 28

6.00 Hollyoaks **6.25** Happy Endings **6.45** Charmed **7.35** Made in Chelsea **8.35** Rules of Engagement **9.30** Baby Daddy **10.00** Charmed **12.00** Hollyoaks **12.30** Rules of Engagement **1.00** How I Met Your Mother **2.00** The Big Bang Theory **3.00** Baby Daddy **3.30** Melissa & Joey **4.00** The Big Bang Theory **5.00** How I Met Your Mother **6.00** The Big Bang Theory **7.00** Hollyoaks **7.30** FILM: Big (1988) (12) **9.35** The Big Bang Theory **10.35** Rude Tube **11.40** How I Met Your Mother **12.10** 2 Broke Girls **12.40** Marry Me **1.10** The 100 **2.05** Supernatural **2.50** Made in Chelsea Does Come Dine with Me **3.45** Made in Chelsea **4.40** Charmed

MORE4 SKY: 138 FV: 14

8.55 Location, Location, Location **11.05** River Cottage Bites **11.30** FILM: High Noon (1952) (U) **1.10** Time Team **3.20** A Place in the Sun: Home or Away **4.20** A Place in the Sun: Winter Sun **5.25** Jamie's 15 Minute Meals **5.55** Come Dine with Me: Athletics Special **7.00** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA **7.55** Grand Designs **9.00** Tiny House Nation **10.00** 8 Out of 10 Cats Does Countdown **11.00** 24 Hours in A&E **12.05** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA **1.05** Come Dine with Me: Athletics Special **2.10** The Good Wife **3.10** A Place in the Sun **3.40** Close

FILM4 SKY: 315 FV: 15

11.00 Porco Rosso (1992) (U) **1.05** Inkheart (2008) (PG) **3.10** California Man (1992) (PG) **4.55** Angus, Thongs and Perfect Snogging (2008) (12) **6.55** Drillbit Taylor (2008) (12) **9.00** The Descendants (2011) (15) **11.25** Sorority Row (2009) (18) **1.30** Only Yesterday (1991) (PG) **4.00** Close

DAVE SKY: 111 FV: 12

7.00 Meat Men **7.20** Traffic Cops **8.10** Top Gear **10.00** Storage Hunters **11.00** Three Men in a Boat **12.00** Top Gear **2.00** Storage Hunters **2.30** Traffic Cops **3.30** Storage Hunters **4.00** Three Men in a Boat **5.00** Top Gear **7.00** Storage Hunters **8.00** American Pickers **9.00** QI XL **10.00** Would I Lie to You? **10.40** Alan Davies: As Yet Untitled **11.40** Mock the Week **12.20** 8 Out of 10 Cats **12.55** Storage Hunters **1.25** Lizard Lick Towing **1.50** Would I Lie to You? **2.25** QI XL **3.20** Never Mind the Buzzcocks **4.00** Close

SKY1 SKY: 106

6.00 The Real A&E **7.00** The Colour of Magic **9.00** NCIS: Los Angeles **11.00** Hawaii Five-0 **1.00** NCIS: Los Angeles **3.00** The Holidaymakers **4.00** Futurama **5.00** The Simpsons **5.30** Futurama **6.30** The Simpsons **8.00** Wild Things **9.00** FILM: The Goonies (1985) (12) **11.15** Stella **12.15** Hawaii Five-0 **2.15** NCIS: Los Angeles **5.00** Stargate Atlantis

SKY ATLANTIC SKY: 108

6.00 Seinfeld **7.00** Stargate SG-1 **8.00** Stargate Atlantis **9.00** Star Trek: Enterprise **10.00** House **11.00** Blue Bloods **12.00** Without a Trace **1.00** Seinfeld **2.00** Stargate SG-1 **4.00** Stargate Atlantis **5.00** Star Trek: Enterprise **6.00** House **7.00** Blue Bloods **8.00** Without a Trace **9.00** Blue Bloods **10.00** Fortitude **11.00** Oliver Stone's Untold History of the United States **12.20** The Sopranos **1.35** Vegas **3.30** The Mind of the Married Man **4.05** Stargate SG-1 **5.00** Star Trek: Enterprise

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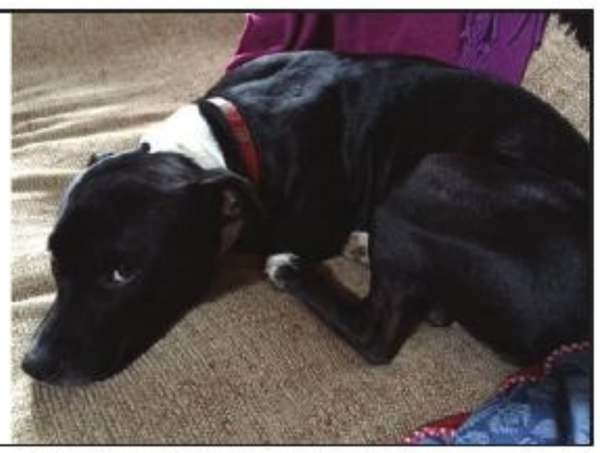

Ornithophobia in Oxford

By **James Richings**
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CHRIS Monatgue, Joshua Blackmore and Kit Downes, who make up the jazz trio Troyka, will be at the Spin Jazz Club Oxford this evening, April 2, as part of their UK tour.

•Troyka (Photo by Tom Barnes)

Promoting their latest album 'Ornithophobia', the three friends are named after the Russian word 'troika' - a Russian carriage full of artillery being pulled by three horses side by side.

The drummer in the group, Joshua Blackmore, believes the definition of the word troika best describes the band.

"Back in February 2007, I was looking through a thesaurus at my auntie's house in the Welsh Valleys," Joshua told the Guardian.

"I was looking for other words for 'Threesome' and stumbled across the word troika.

"I think it's a very fitting name for our group as well, as we pull equal weight musically in this band.

"It's not front man and rhythm section if you catch my drift."

He added: "The three of us met at the Royal Academy Of Music during our studies and the band was formed out of a commission for the 2007 Derby Jazz Festival.

"Chris and I got together to play through some of our own tunes we had been writing, whilst Kit happened to be in the room we had booked and was reluctant to leave.

"We still can't get rid of him eight years later.

"It's getting a bit embarrassing now to be honest."

Since their formation eight years ago, the threesome have released four albums with their latest collection of hits being called 'Ornithophobia', which means someone with a fear of birds.

Explaining the reason behind the name, Joshua said: "Chris our guitarist is very scared of birds, so I guess this album was a way of us helping him to confront his fears and possibly getting over him.

"However, when we encountered a beautiful sparrow in Bern, Switzerland airport recently, it became apparent that the release of this album hasn't helped with the phobia in any shape or form."

"It's definitely good to be open about it though," he added.

"I don't like revolving doors and Kit hates waves."

"We're basically a bunch of pansies who try to make up for it by playing hard music!"

Tickets cost from £6 to £12 at the High Street venue, with the doors opening at 8pm.

Call 01865 721156 for more information or to book tickets for the event.

Jez Alborough

BASED on the bestselling book by Jez Alborough, the popular children's tale the Duck in the Truck will be at the Cornerstone Arts Centre in Didcot next Wednesday, April 8.

With two shows taking place at 11am and 2pm, tickets at the Station Road venue cost from £8 to £6.

The family ticket costs £24.

Call 01235 515144 for more information.

Michael Ball

AWARD winning singer Michael Ball will be at the Oxford New Theatre next Wednesday, April 8.

The 52-year-old is currently on a big UK tour, which will see the him perform in Manchester, Ipswich and Blackpool.

Tickets priced at £44.90 can be bought by calling 0844 871 3020.

Kevin Bridges

SCOTTISH comedian Kevin Bridges will be at The Theatre Chipping Norton next Monday, April 6.

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The Furrow Collective

KNOWN for their dark folk and ballads with a hint of comedy thrown in, the popular The Furrow Collective will be at Didcot's Cornerstone Arts Centre this evening, Thursday, April 2.

By **James Richings**
jamesr@taylornewspapers.co.uk

The quartet of Rachel Newton, Lucy Farrell, Emily Portman and Alasdair Roberts are currently touring all over the country promoting their debut album 'At Our Next Meeting', which was released in February last year.

Their first collection of songs received positive views from folk critics, something that Emily was incredibly happy with.

"It's been really encouraging to find that something we recorded live in a village hall and released on a small label could go down so well," Emily told the Guardian.

"People seemed to appreciate that we were trying to capture a bit of spark that comes from the enjoyment of playing together live."

She added: "We play traditional music and we particularly like story songs about highwaymen, rebellious women, the perils of drink, tending sheep and monsters transforming into beautiful women - and wild hogs."

The success of their debut album shouldn't come as a shock to the four musicians, as the friends have had successful careers as solo artists or with other bands.

Back in 2013, Emily's song 'Hatchlings' won the BBC Radio 2 Folk Award for Best Original Song and Lucy has worked with folk musician Jonny Kearney (the duo have been nominated for two BBC Radio 2 Folk Awards).

Rachel - who sings as well as playing the harp and fiddle - has released two albums in the last three years.

And Alasdair has had a musical career spanning well over a decade.

"We are all pretty open-minded to a bit of experimenting as we all have other musical projects with different musical influences," Emily explained.

"Myself and Ali are songwriters, Lucy plays with Eliza Carthy's Wayward Band and Rachel has produced two brilliant solo albums and plays in lots of bands including The Shee.

"However, The Furrow Collective gives us the chance to bring all of our influences together and focus them on the riches of (mostly) British folk traditions."

She added: "We all share the singing and bring guitar, harp, banjo, fiddle, viola, concertina and musical saw to the table."

"We're four musicians with a shared love of a good ballad and a bunch of eclectic influences between us, playing folk songs in all their dark and comic glory."

Tickets cost from £13.50 to £15 and the gig starts at 8pm.

For more details about the show or to buy tickets, call the Station Road venue on 01235 515144.

50 Shades

THIS year's blockbuster 'Fifty Shades of Grey' will be shown at The Theatre Chipping Norton next Wednesday, April 8.

Based on the book by E.L. James, the film is about a shy literature student who has a life-changing encounter when she meets the charming Christian Grey.

Tickets cost £8. For more information, go to the website: chippingnortontheatre.co.uk.

Shh... Bang!

CHILDREN'S production 'Shh... Bang' will be shown at the Oxford Playhouse this Saturday, April 4.

Families will learn about silence and noise at the show.

Tickets cost from £6 to £8 with two shows taking place at 11am and 2pm.

Call 01865 305305 for more details.

Sunday Jazz

JAZZ quartet 'That Little Outfit' will be at the Oxford Wine Café this Sunday, April 5.

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Oxford Playhouse waits for Stanley

PREPARE to be blown away when the emotional but hilarious wartime production 'Waiting for Stanley' visits the Oxford Playhouse on April 7 and 8.

It's 1945 and the Second World War has just ended.

An anxious wife waits patiently for her husband Stanley on a railway station platform, and the train he's due on arrives but there is no sign of him.

What follows are her fears and fantasies about what might have happened to her husband during the six-year conflict, whilst having flashbacks of her own experiences on the Home Front.

The funny and touching play uses physical theatre, where certain objects are used to represent other objects in the production.

"'Waiting for Stanley' is a clown, physical theatre and puppetry show," actress Leela Bunce told the Guardian.

"It's dynamic, funny and poignant with lots of innovative stagecraft, which will keep the audience guessing what's coming next.

"Also, the set cleverly transforms into a host of props such as radios, cribs and typewriters as she brings to life wartime in London."

Brought to you by the award winning theatre company Finger in the Pie, the wartime production is currently on a tour around the UK, which will come to its conclusion on April 26 in Halifax.

The Second World War theatrical play also focuses on some of the real life events wives went through during the war when their husbands were fighting for their country.

"The main character in the piece is a young woman – a wife and mother, probably in her 20s, although many aspects of the piece will certainly resonate with women who were older or younger than this," Leela explained.

"It's happened quite a few times that from the stage, I've heard elderly members of the audience telling their neighbour at various points of the show 'Oh, that happened to me!'

"One of the women I interviewed whilst researching the show was a wonderful lady called Iris - now nearly 91 - and she came to see the show in Exeter.

"It was brilliant for her to be able to see what we'd created."

"Women worked, looked after families, saw their children be evacuated, waited for letters from loved ones, dealt with rationing, queues and shortages – in some ways struggled and got by, in other ways often flourished with newfound freedoms and opportunities, and just kept going and going, whilst getting on with life and adapting tremendously," she added.

"Their experiences were varied, fascinating and inspirational."

Tickets cost from £8 to £10 the shows at the Beaumont Street Theatre starting at 7.30pm.

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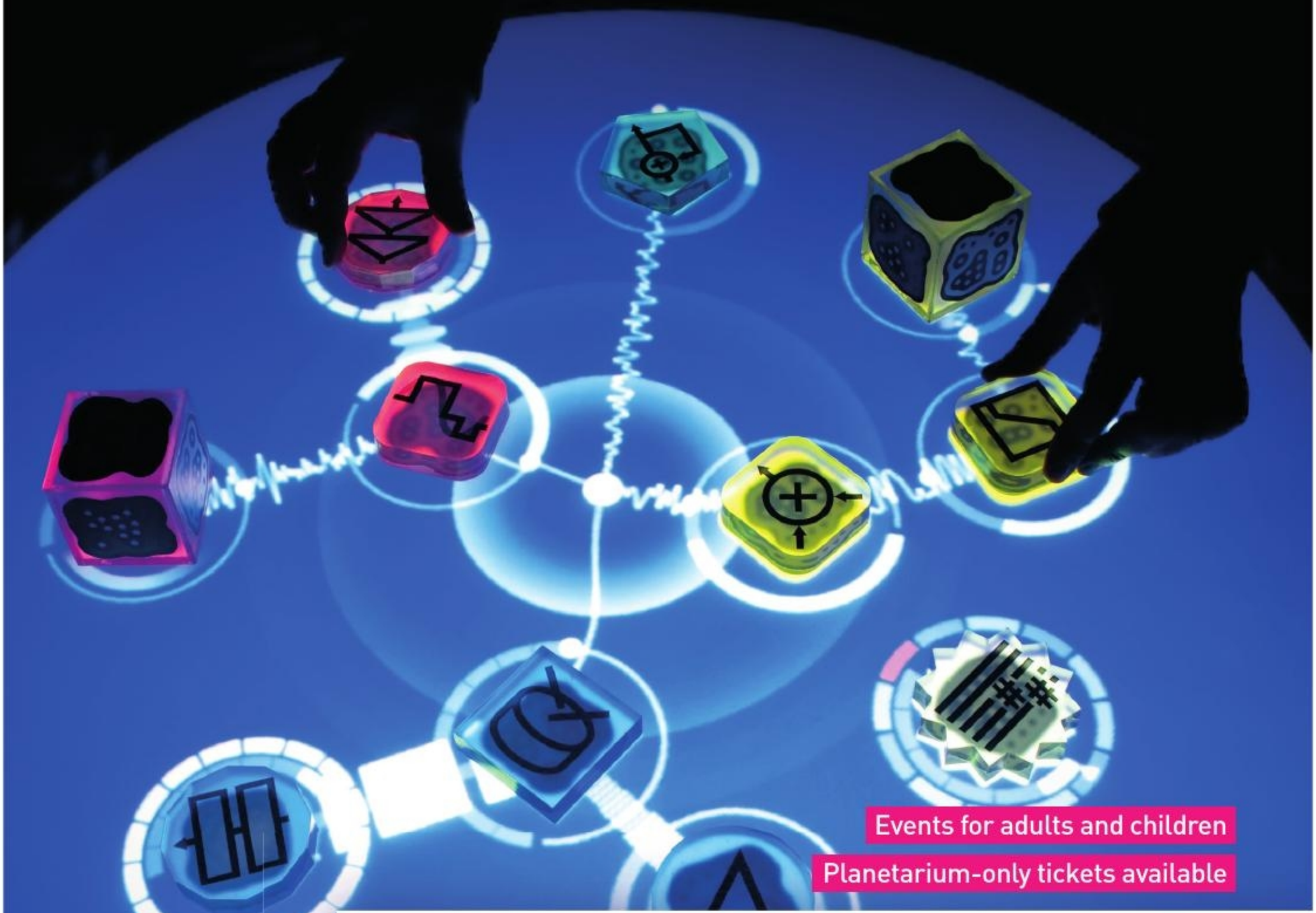

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Plenty of Easter treats, thanks to Cornerstone!

There will be no shouts of "I'm bored" coming from Didcot this Easter Holiday, thanks to Cornerstone. Jam packed with workshops and shows, there's plenty for young people to get the most from their Easter break.

6-12 year olds will have the chance to learn screen and mono printing processes to create some fantastic glow in the dark art works at Glow in the Dark Printmaking on Wednesday 8 April, whilst others aged 5-12 years can learn the art of Clay Sculpture on Thursday 2 April, where their star-themed ceramic masterpieces will be glazed and professionally fired.

If that all sounds a bit too messy, there's the opportunity to learn how to make animated short movies in the one day Animation Workshop on Friday 10 April, or spend the day learning how to make wonderful paper sculptures at Amazing Paper on Tuesday 7 April. To top it off, on Thursday 9 and Friday 10 April there is a Youth Dance workshop, an extremely fun way to burn off those extra Easter eggs!

There are free workshops to enjoy this Easter too. Drop in and Doodle runs Thursday 2 - Sunday12 April, for all ages. It is themed on the current Making a Sun Earth exhibition, and gives children the chance to create a swirling plasma artwork.

Continuing with the science theme is Science Day on 1 April, where children can get hands on with workshops delivered in partnership with RAL Space, Science Oxford and CCFE. It even features an amazing inflatable dome where young people can learn all about the sun and fusion energy.

Younger family members will enjoy stage show Duck In The Truck as it rolls into town on Wednesday 8 April. A perfect Easter treat for 3-7 year olds, this fun show is based on bestselling book by Jez Alborough and will have children giggling away, singing along and laughing out loud.

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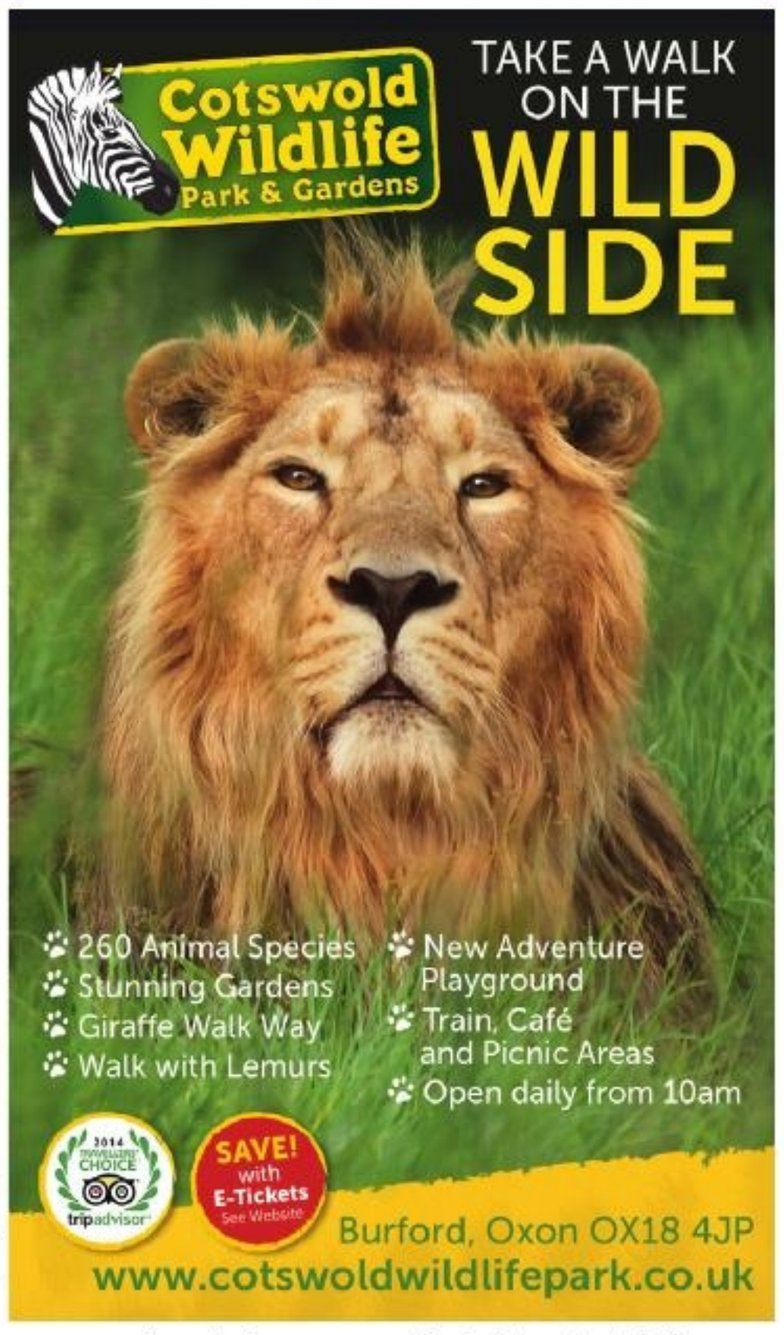

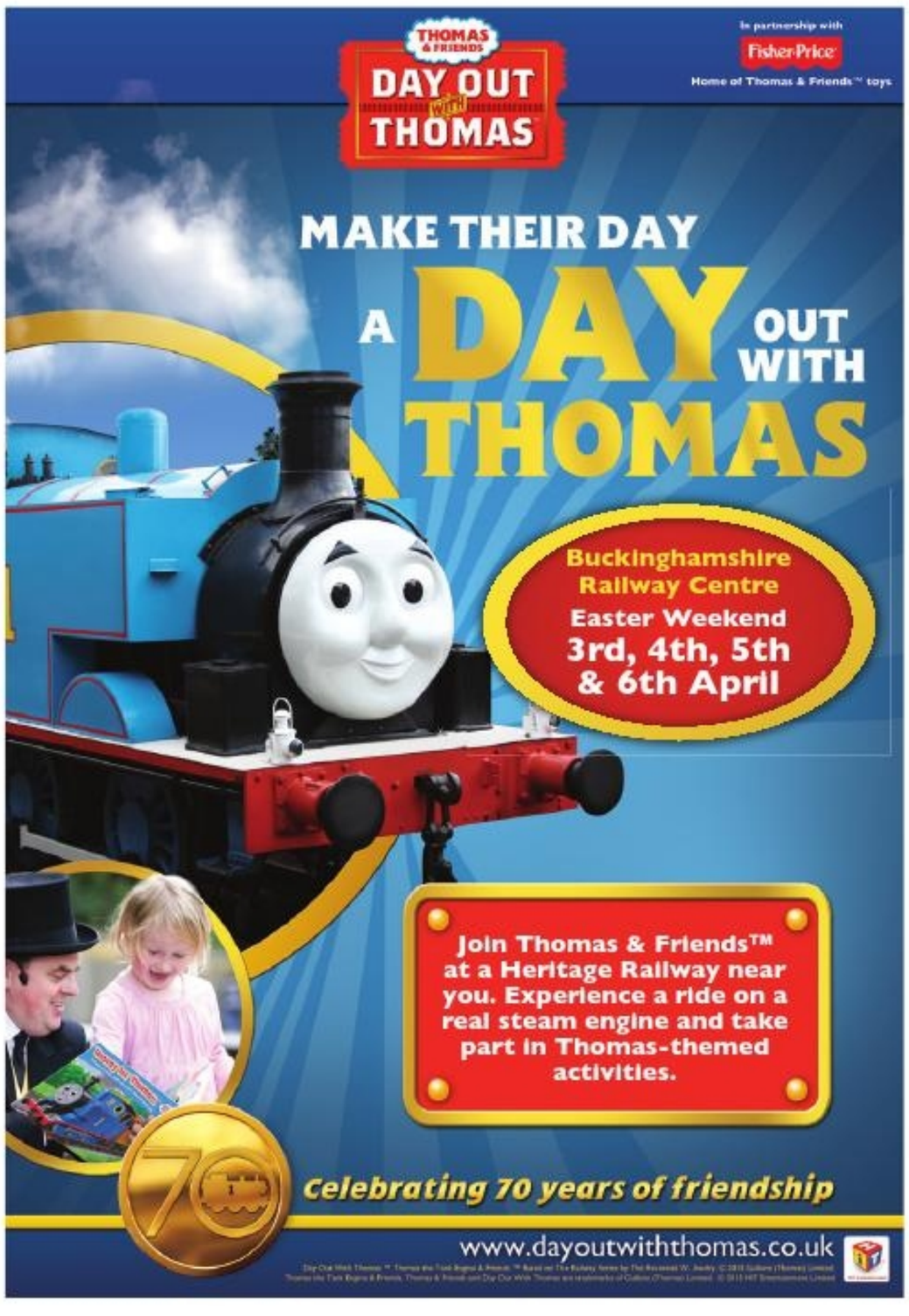
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The arena line-ups are already looking exciting, and you will love ourWelsh Axe Men with their with phenomenal high rise, high speed axe racing. Also in the Andy Singleton arena, you will see the amazing Horsemen of the Knight, who will not only be wowing us with their stunt riding and jousting, but will also be debuting their new 'Wild West' riding show – not to be missed! Horse boarding will be continuing their national competition at fast and furious pace, and the Scurry teams will also be displaying their skills around an obsticle strewn arena course.

In the Countryside arena you will have working ferrets, gundogs, Fiery Jack, falconry and the amazing team of gentle giants from Harvey's Shires. Of course, there will be the usual ferret races, birds of prey displays, chainsaw carving, fishing demonstrationsand shooting around the show too. Something for everyone.

And for the first time at Thame you can enjoy ourspecialist dog arena, featuring hounds from the local hunt, gun dog displays, a gun dog clinic with top handler Nat Canon, obedience displays, and much more.

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Elsewhere on the show ground you have our mini food festival with top chefs demonstrating in the Country Kitchen, including the UK's leading crustation expert, Adrian Bartlett, who will be working with food blogger Andy Hunting to teach you how to make delicious shellfish dishes. And there will be the usual huge food marquees with a delicious taste-before-you-buy approach. Plenty to eat on the day in our piazza area, so you may want to leave your sandwiches at home… or you may want to set up your picnic area next to the Pinxton Puppets, donkey rides, children's amusements, or Make and Take tent, and relax while they are entertained.

Moment in Time Living History and Kenneshaw Confederates will be back with their fascinating displays, and characters in constume from all over globe and time, very happy to answer any questions and discuss the merits of baking on an open fire!

Don't forget to pop down to the Field and Fishing areas, where you could have a go at fly casting, or even enter our competition in either fly tying or casting. And if your kids are into Hunger Games you cannot miss the archery tent, where our very own 'Katniss Everdean' will teach you how to hit the target.

So from the thrills and spills of the main arena, the excitement of the gun dog displays, through to the more gentle craft tents to explore, with glass blowing deminstrations and speed carves in the chainsaw area, there really is something for everyone at the Thame Game and Country Fair this Easter.

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Thursday 2 & 9 April 10.30am – 3pm

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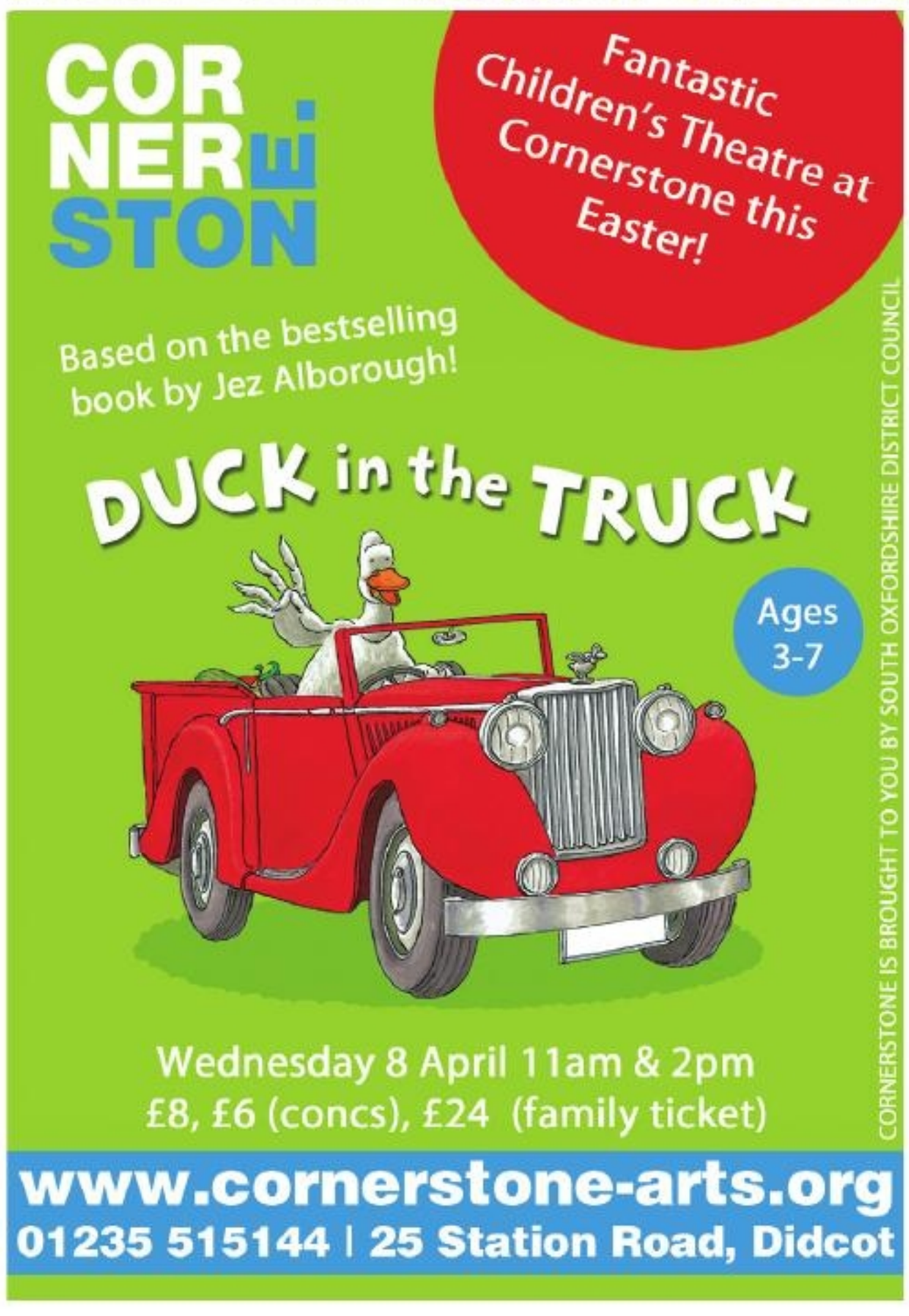
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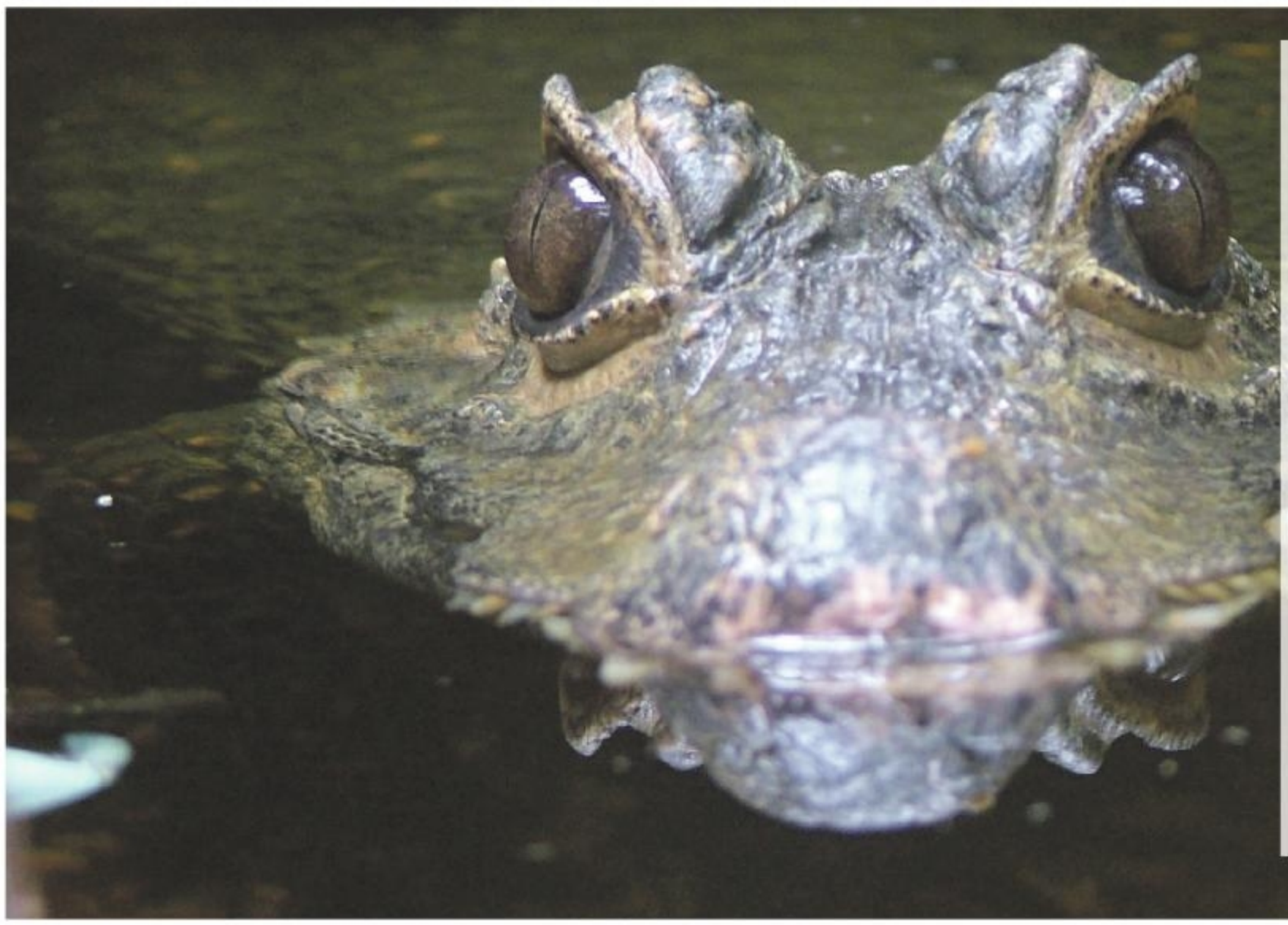

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05/04/2015,10am - 2pm
Earth Trust, Little Wittenham, Oxfordshire OX14 4QZ
EASTER OUTDOOR FUN!
"Drop in and join our Easter bunny hunt, plus bring an egg to boil on the fire before painting it and rolling it down the Wittenham Clumps! £4 donation per child, accompanying adult(s) free.
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07/04/2015, 2 -4.30pm
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COME OUT & PLAY
heritage skills, bug hunting and a spring scavenger hunt, plus a enjoy a warming hot chocolate during this FREE fun-filled afternoon. Meet at the crossroads by the bridge in the middle of the reserve (Abbey Fishponds Nature Reserve, Radley Road, Abingdon, OX14 3TN). Free thanks to funding from TOE2.
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08/04/2015, 2pm
Mowbray Fields Nature Reserve, Mowbray Road, Didcot, OX11 8SS
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08/04/2015, 10am
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WOODLAND ADVENTURE
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Photo-journalist John Negus (Dip. Hort. Wisley) enjoys sharing his passion for gardening and other outdoor pursuits.
He specialises in trees, shrubs and climbers, and lectures regularly. John broadcasts on Radio Surrey and Sussex, and on-board cruise liners.
Visitors very welcome £2.
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10/04/2015, 2pm
Wallingford Museum
LIVING HISTORY' - THE ROMAN ARMY
"Wallingford Museum is pleased to present an extra event this year to coincide with schools' Easter holiday.
This special event will be a 'Living History' display of the range of equipment Roman legions used for body armour, weapons, pottery, clothing, boots and even the skin cleaning Strigil tool.
This event will be run by expert John Smith, and will include short talks, displays, and opportunity for lots of questions.
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Come along and learn why the Roman Army came to Oxfordshire and Wallingford, "
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10/04/2015, 10am
Earth Trust, Little Wittenham, Oxfordshire OX14 4QZ
FAMILY BUSHCRAFT
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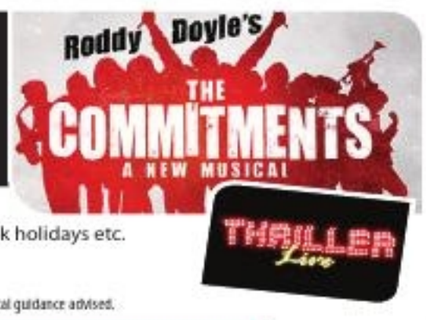

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11/04/2015
Wallingford Museum
HISTORIC GUIDED WALKS
"By popular demand on Saturday 11th April, two historic guided walks have been arranged, which will be led by Judy Dewey (local historian and Museum curator). At 11am there will be a Castle history walk, followed by a Town history walk at 2.30pm. Each walk lasts about 2 hours, and start at the Museum. There is a charge of £5 for each walk. [unsuitable for dogs!]
So, why not immerse yourself in the town's fascinating local history for the whole day and also visit the new 'Wallingford's Royal Castle Revealed', and 'Magna Carta and All That' exhibitions at the Museum
www.wallingfordmuseum.org.uk" 01491 651127; www.wallingford-museum.org.uk

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The St Aldates Tavern, Oxford
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Advertorial

Elvis in trouble in Didcot

This year marks the 80th Birthday of Elvis Presley, The King of Rock & Roll, and it's hard to believe that 2017 marks the 40th anniversary of his death. TROUBLE, a 6 piece professional band, formed in 2014 with the desire to provide an Authentic 3 hour Elvis show for fans, covering the 3 main eras of his career. The show begins with the Rock & Roll songs, including hits such as That's alright Mama, Treat me nice, Hound Dog and Devil in disguise. After a short break, it's straight into the "68 comeback special" with the leather outfit performing "One Night With You" and ending with "If I Can Dream," one of Elvis' personal favourites.

The final session of the show is a two costume performance of the career defining Las Vegas shows, with all the favourites including "Suspicious Minds" and the amazing "American Trilogy" some of the best known performances.

TROUBLE's Band members aim to create an authentic show and believe they have; with microphone changes including the rare Vegas Electro-Voice RE15, Elvis' favourite performance mic and the iconic Shure 55 for the Rock & Roll set. This includes guitar changes and drum builds to define the musical progression throughout Elvis' career. Authentic costumes have been crafted by original designers of the King's outfits, giving the final authenticity that the band hoped for.

Projected imagery & amazing lighting make it hard to stay in your seat and not sing along or dance. Amazing reviews of performances can be found on Facebook, "Seen Trouble this evening, Elvis was amazing and the band were great", "Due to my age I wasn't alive to see the king perform, I have now," as well as reviews by the press as "a polished, professional and passionate performance" culminating into the opportunity to get a photo with the lead singer of the band.

A fantastic way to spend an Easter Saturday, sure to be a hit with the Elvis fans, come along to see TROUBLE performing at the Didcot Civic Centre on 4th April 2015.

Doors open at 7:00pm and the show starts at 7:30pm.
Tickets £15.00 each available from the Didcot Civic Centre directly on (01235) 512436 or from the TROUBLE website, www.elvisintrouble.com where there is an offer for a table of 10.

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Tyre warning to Easter drivers

UK road safety company TyreSafe is warning Easter drivers to check their wheels before heading out onto the roads.

The not-for-profit organisation explains the dangers of defective and worn tyres to drivers and reminds them to check their spare wheels as well.

They are calling for drivers to make sure their tyres are at the recommended pressure for the load the car is carrying, look for bulges and damage and ensure the tread depth is at least above the legal limit of 1.6mm.

"As families across the country hit the roads over the Easter period, it's perhaps no surprise that the number of breakdowns soar," chairman of TyreSafe Stuart Jackson said.

"However, many of these incidents are avoidable if people take the time to check their tyres and ensure everything is in working order.

"These checks are quick and simple to conduct, but essential as they could be the difference between a pleasurable Easter break and one spent by the roadside or worse."

By **James Richings**

A survey by www.honestjohn.co.uk revealed only 8 per cent of new cars are sold with a full-size spare wheel, - instead 'space-savers', repair kits and run-flat tyres are used as common alternatives.

And many owners are unaware if their car is equipped with one of these options, and will be unsure of what to do if they suffer a puncture or blow-out.

The RAC also reported that the number of callouts annually to assist drivers with a puncture but no spare wheel rose from 29,000 in 2010 to 118,000 in 2014.

And that number is forecast to rise again this year to 144,000.

To help drivers remember the essentials regarding their tryes when hitting the roads this Easter, TyreSafe have compiled a checklist: pressure, tread depth and condition of the tyre.

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• *TyreSafe are urging motorists to check their tyres*

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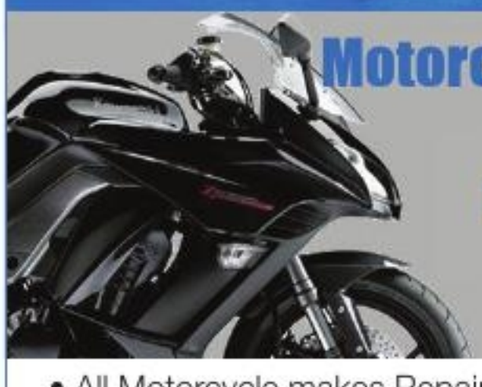

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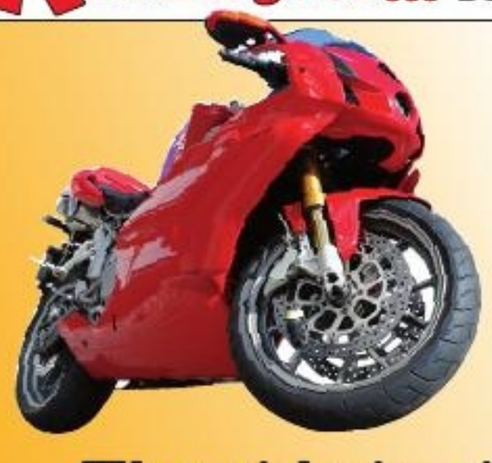

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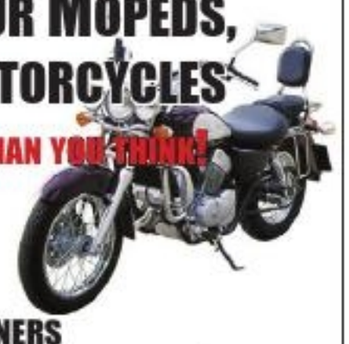

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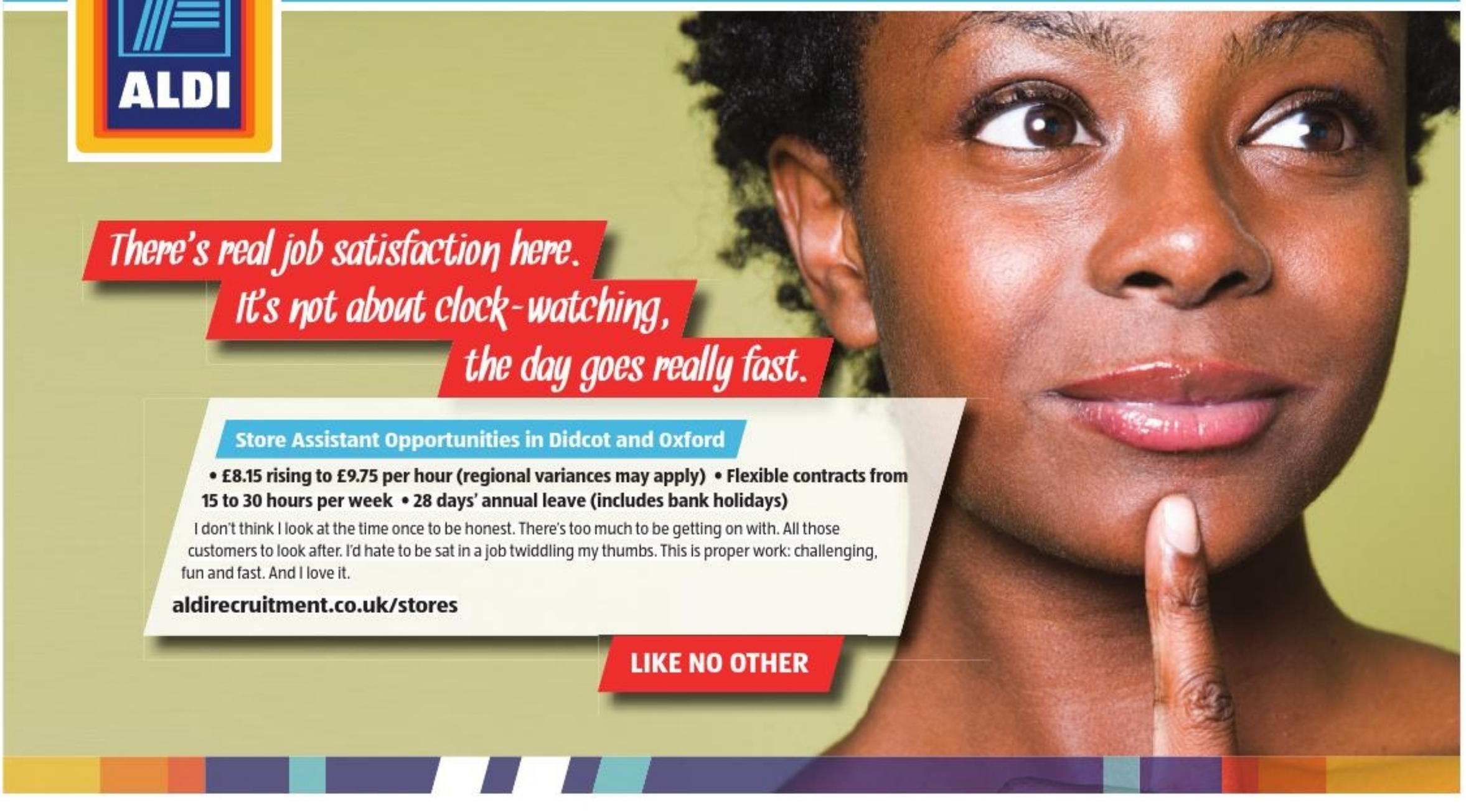

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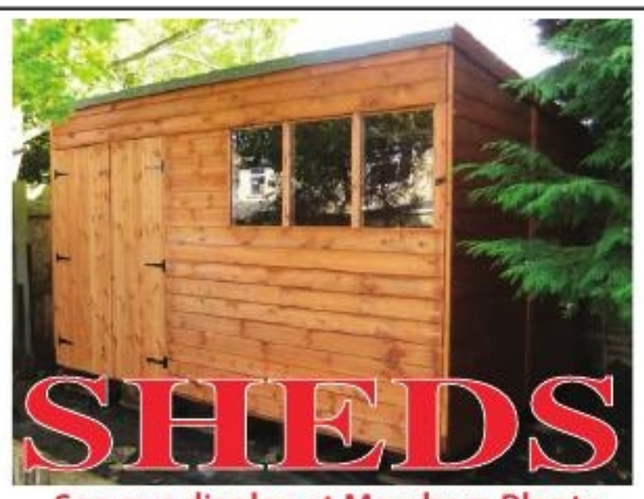

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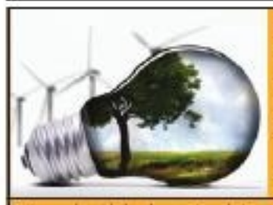

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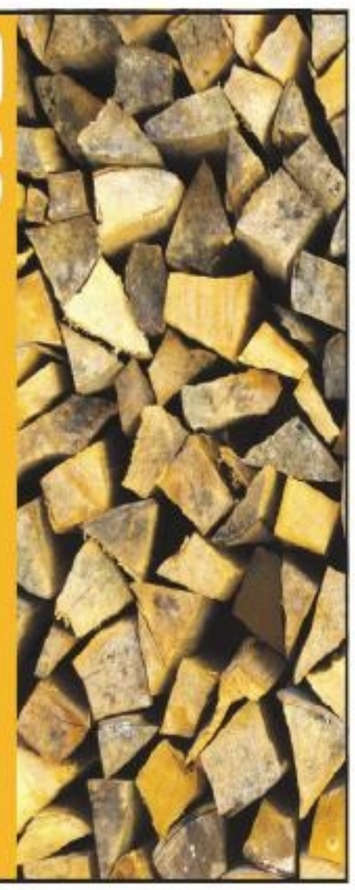

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Vassell makes dream debut for U's with goal

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DEBUTANT Kyle Vassell eased Oxford United's relegation fears, coming off the bench to score the winner as the U's won 2-1 at home to Carlisle United in Sky Bet League 2.

The on-loan striker scored five minutes after coming off the bench to make his first Oxford appearance, finding the bottom corner with a ferocious left-footed strike from the edge of the area.

Vassell joined the U's on loan from Peterborough United until the end of the season last Thursday and said he had been impressed by his new team-mates' performance.

"I thought the boys were terrific," he told the club.

"It was one of those games where even if I hadn't come on I could have excused it because the boys up top were excellent all game and so was everyone else behind them.

"Being my first game here and just watching it, I could tell who was going to win.

"I knew we were going to win because I could see it in the boys and their hunger and I thought they dug in and did really well."

The hosts had started the game brightly, but found themselves behind to a freak goal when Paul Corry's 40-yard free-kick evaded everyone in a crowded area, including goalkeeper Ryan Clarke, to sneak into the far corner.

United responded before the break when Patrick Hoban headed in Kemar Roofe's exceptional cross at the near post before the break, with Vassell's winner coming 10 minutes from time.

Hoban's equaliser was his first goal for the club, coming in his 14th appearance after signing from League of Ireland champions Dundalk in November.

After enduring a difficult start to his Oxford career, Hoban admitted he feared the worst when they fell behind to Carlisle.

He told the club: "They went and scored and I thought 'not again', but we kept the belief.

"We've had good self-belief for the last few weeks, or ever since I've been here really, so we just kept going and going and we got our rewards in the end."

The victory puts United eight points clear of the drop zone ahead of this weekend's short trip to promotion-chasing Wycombe Wanderers on Friday.

The U's then have a home fixture against fellow strugglers York City following on Monday.

• *Kyle Vassell strikes United's winner after coming off the bench (picture by Steve Daniels)*

Welsh go down after Bath defeat

LONDON Welsh's fate was sealed on Sunday as a 29-14 defeat at home to Bath confirmed their Aviva Premiership relegation.

The visitors quickly opened up a 10 point lead before the break courtesy of tries from Rob Webber and Leroy Houston.

But the Exiles hit back and reduced the deficit to just three points when Tristan Roberts found Nic Reynolds with a flat pass and the centre forced his way over the line.

Roberts made no mistake with the conversion and despite a yellow card for Nathan Trevett the Exiles were able to hang on to ensure they went into the break within a score of their opponents.

Welsh started the second half on the front foot, but they found themselves further behind when Sam Burgess was driven over in the corner from a lineout, with Tom Homer converting.

A devastating spell of Bath dominance followed, putting paid to the home side's hopes of securing a first competitive victory of the season.

The Exiles now face another week off ahead of their next match at home to Wasps on

City ease to victory over play-off rivals Hednesford

OXFORD City strolled to a comfortable 2-0 victory at play-off contenders Hednesford Town on Saturday.

With both sides on the edge of the Conference North play-off positions a close contest was expected, but the match was surprisingly uncompetitive as City were rarely troubled.

Midfielder Jeremy Balmy, on loan from neighbours Oxford United, made his debut after signing last week, but City's other new signing – Portuguese futsal international David Parente – missed out due to injury.

Balmy needed just 22 first-half minutes to make his first significant contribution to City's campaign with a visionary crossfield pass for Luke Coulson, who raced up the right wing before firing powerfully past Hednesford goalkeeper Dan Crane.

City were aggrieved not to have doubled their lead eight minutes later when Marlon Jackson tapped in a rebound after Adi Yussuf's header had been tipped onto the bar.

Jackson's celebrations were cut short by the offside flag.

But the second goal did come 10 minutes into the second half when Tom Winters headed the ball on for Yussuf to burst clear of the home side's defence before slotting expertly home.

City had chances to extend their lead further in the latter stages of the match, with defender Jose Lapoujade twice drawing excellent saves from Crane and Winters also being denied by the keeper when clean through on goal.

City remain five points from the play-off positions in eighth ahead of another crucial clash on Saturday as they host fifth-placed Boston United.

They then travel to Stockport County on Monday.

• *Adi Yussuf (right) scored Oxford City's second in their 2-0 defeat of Hednesford Town (picture by Mike Allen)*

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Welsh won't give up, says head coach Phillips

LONDON Welsh head coach Rowland Phillips insisted his side will continue to compete and search for a first win of the season, despite their failure to avoid relegation from the Aviva Premiership.

Welsh were beaten 29-14 at home to Bath on Sunday, meaning they can no longer catch Newcastle Falcons in 11th place and will finish bottom of the league.

But Phillips said the search for a first competitive win of the season will provide his side with plenty of incentive for their remaining four matches.

"People could think that we're going to wind down towards the end of the season, but this club is too proud to just switch off," he said.

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"Certainly the ambition is as great as ever.

"The real honest ambition of a club will be portrayed on the field and you saw 23 guys who put their lives and soul on the pitch for us today.

"The future is bright."

Phillips was pleased with his side's performance despite the defeat and said it will give them something to build on when they host Wasps at the Kassam Stadium on April 12.

"We showed a lot of passion in that game," said Phillips.

"We contributed to a tough game.

"They need to realise we don't need to make excuses for when we do well.

"They need to feel good about themselves and we'll use that energy when we come back next week to start our build up to Wasps."

• *Nic Reynolds (front) scored London Welsh's first try in their 29-14 defeat to Bath*

Depleted North Leigh upset Oxford United

NORTH Leigh twice came from behind to upset a youthful Oxford United side in the semi-final of the Oxfordshire Senior Cup at Banbury on Tuesday evening.

Michael Hopkins cancelled out Josh Shama's opener, but the Millers found themselves behind for a second time when Elliott Osborne-Ricketts shot into his own net.

However, despite their squad being decimated by injury and unavailability, North Leigh hit back through Callum McNish before Morgan Williams scored directly from a corner to win it.

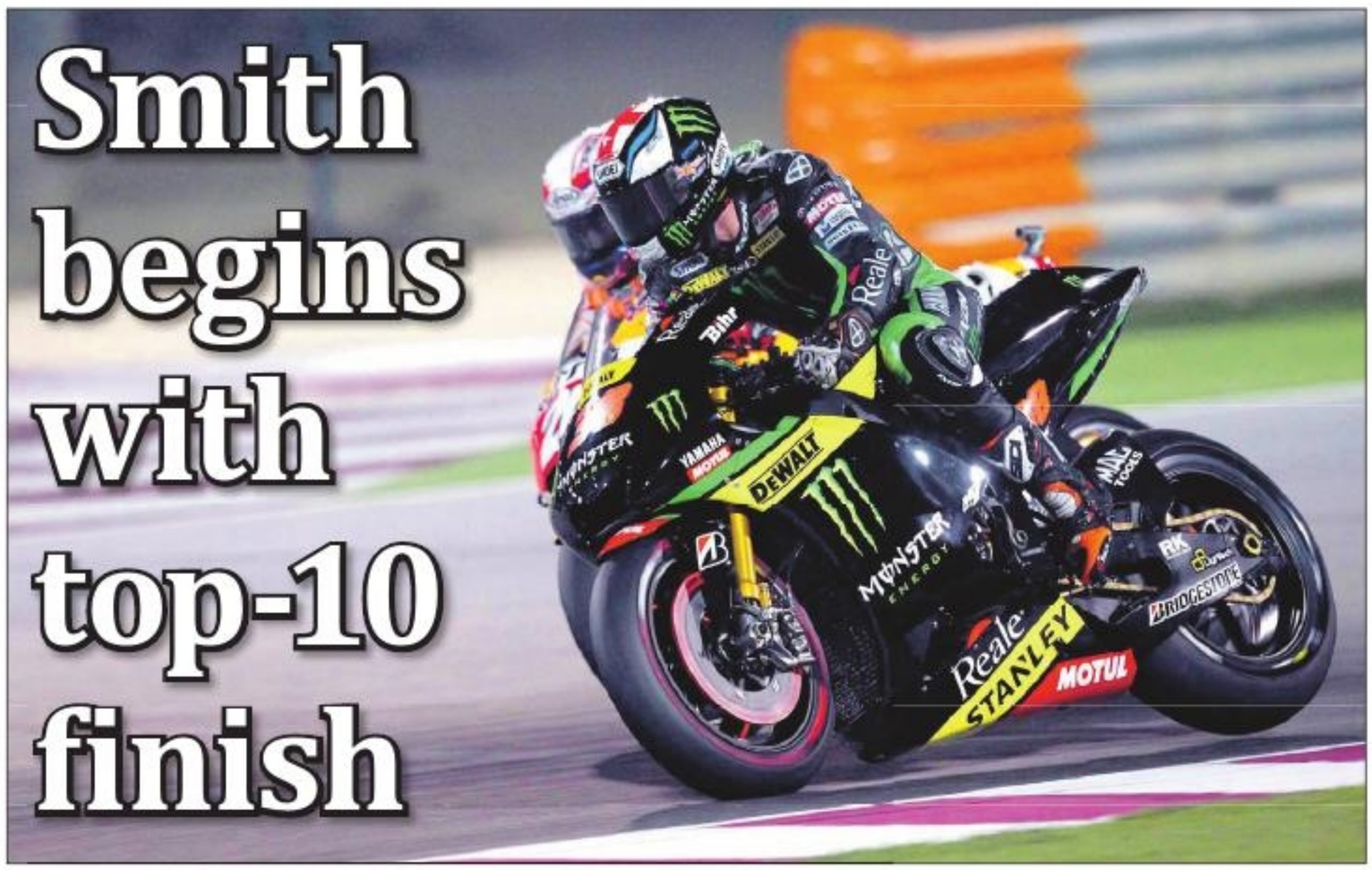
The Millers face Banbury United in the final at the Kassam Stadium in what will be their final hope for glory this season after their Southern League Division 1 South & West play-off hopes were ended with a 4-2 home defeat to Bridgwater Town on Saturday.

Teenage striker Jacob Hughes and veteran Jamie Cook scored for North Leigh, but they were undone by two Kyle Tooze strikes and goals from David O'Hare and Joe Bushin.

Wantage Town conceded four times in the opening 30 minutes on their way to a 5-1 battering at Cinderford Town.

Josh Nelmes scored the home side's first two goals and strikes from Bobby Dale and Ethan Moore killed the game off in the opening half-hour.

Ben Whitehead converted a spot-kick to put the visitors on the board following a foul on Nick Thorne, but then missed a second after the break before Nick Rhodes added Cinderford's fifth in the 74th minute.



Smith begins with top-10 finish

BRADLEY Smith got his MotoGP season off to a positive start with an eighth-placed finish in the Qatar season opener on Sunday.

The 23-year-old, from Oxford, began the race at seventh on the grid and shot up as far as fifth at the end of the first lap of the Losail International Circuit.

From the fourth lap Smith was back in seventh, riding consistently over the duration of the race, but found himself pushed back to ninth on lap 15.

After surging past Yonny Hernandez soon after, Smith finished as the highest finishing Brit half a second behind seventh-placed Cal Crutchlow.

But Smith feels there is room for improvement ahead of the **second round in Texas** on April 12.

He said: "I must admit that despite the good result, I am slightly disappointed as we were so close to being the top satellite bike at Qatar.

"This is our ambition for the year, so to miss this opportunity is a bit annoying.

"However, to finish only half a second back from Cal isn't bad at all, especially at this early stage of the season."

• *Bradley Smith battles with Dani Pedrosa (picture courtesy of Tech 3)*

Brock forced out of retirement into goal by Ardley injury crisis

ARDLEY United manager Kevin Brock had to play 90 minutes in goal during his side's 2-0 defeat at Wootton Bassett Town in the Hellenic League Premier Division on Tuesday evening, as he had just ten players available.

Regular goalkeeper Jack Harding played outfield, while 52-year-old former midfielder Brock, who won the League Cup in 1986 with Oxford United, took up the gloves, conceding twice to efforts from Steve Robertson and Dan Bailey.

Kidlington drew 2-2 at high-flying Flackwell Heath, while Thame United were beaten 3-0 at Highworth Town.

On Saturday, Milton United performed a remarkable comeback to beat bottom side Cheltenham Saracens 3-2 and move further from the drop zone.

United had found themselves two goals down thanks to Declan Chick and Carter Wylie goals, but Conor Harris, Adam Sell and Adam Bruce scored to give Milton a remarkable victory.

Luke Ricketts was on the mark for Thame on Saturday as they won 1-0 at Kidlington.

Oxford City Nomads were beaten 3-1 at home to Highmoor Ibis, going 2-0 down inside 11 minutes to two Stephen Peacock goals.

Curtis Stevens pulled a goal back on the stroke of half-time, but an own goal after put the game beyond Nomads.

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Hawks win

HOCKEY: Oxford Hawks finished their season in style with a 4-1 victory at Old Cranleighans in South Hockey League Premier Division.

Matt Wood scored twice to give Hawks a 2-0 lead at half-time and could have had a third early in the second half, but when he was stopped by the home side's goalkeeper the ball broke free to Will Phillips, who made no mistake with the rebound.

Ben Roe struck a fourth goal for Oxford, before the hosts pulled one back with five minutes remaining.

Stars stay up

ICE HOCKEY: Oxford City Stars are safe from NIHL 1 South relegation after rivals Cardiff Devils failed to beat London Raiders on Saturday evening.

Victory for Devils would have seen Stars return to NIHL 2 and with the visitors leading 3-1 at London's Lee Valley Ice Arena at the end of the second period, Oxford's prospects looked bleak.

But Raiders struck twice in the final period to secure safety for the Stars.

Plato starts

MOTORSPORT: Jason Plato's British Touring Car Championship campaign gets underway this weekend at Brands Hatch in Kent.

Plato is looking to claim a third BTCC title of his career after finishing second overall in 2014.

The Oxford-based driver will race for Team BMR alongside reigning champion Colin Turkington, having joined in February.

Hawks are champions

HENLEY Hawks were crowned National 2 South champions after a spectacular 66-17 victory at home to strugglers Shelford on Saturday.

Hawks ran in an incredible 12 tries to become the first team promoted with three matches still to play of the season.

There were two tries apiece for George Eastwell and Lloyd Owen, while James Comben, Dave Manning, Oscar Hirskyj-Douglas, Stuart Philpott, Connor Murphy, Jake Randall, Tom Hall and Fred Pierrepoint also crossed.

The same day Chinnor were narrowly beaten 46-45 by second-placed Bishop's Stortford in a 13-try thriller.

Chinnor were undone by two late penalties.

Oxford Harlequins were relegated from National 3 South West following a dismal 66-8 defeat to Exmouth.

A try from Pete Boulton and a Huw Dimond penalty was all Harlequins could muster, while leaking nine tries, including six in a disastrous 17-minute period in the second half.

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BOSS KEEN FOR BIG WEEKEND

Key win over Cheltenham Saracens sets up survival bid

• *Anaclet Odhiambo, pictured during Abingdon's 3-1 defeat at Ascot United on Saturday, scored a hat-trick against Cheltenham Saracens, but is suspended for Saturday's clash with Ardley United (picture by Chris Janes)*

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ABINGDON United manager Gary Ackling is hopeful that his side could be out of the Hellenic League Premier Division relegation places by the end of the Easter weekend.

The situation looked bleak for Abingdon after their 3-1 defeat at Ascot United on Saturday, but a 5-1 hammering of already-relegated Cheltenham Saracens on Tuesday evening has restored belief in their survival prospects.

Anaclet Odhiambo hit a hat-trick in the win, alongside goals from Tom Butler and Richie Guy, leaving Ackling delighted with a morale-boosting result.

He said: "I would have just accepted a win, no matter how it came.

"It was a good result and hopefully it'll give us a boost of confidence to take into our last few matches.

"I said before we needed to win three of our last five games and we've got one of those out of the way, so we're off to a good start.

"Obviously it's a big ask of us to win three of our last five fixtures when you consider that we'd only won six league games all season before that, but that's what we've set out to do.

"I'm not saying it's going to be easy, but none of the sides we're up against are challenging for the title, they're all beatable and they don't have a lot to play for now."

Tuesday's victory came at a cost, however, with prolific striker Sam Collier ruled out for the rest of the season after sustaining a bad knee injury early in the second half.

With Odhiambo also suspended for Saturday's last home match of the season against Ardley United, Ackling's options up front are limited.

But after closing the gap on freefalling Reading Town to four points, he believes the Easter fixtures, which include a trip to local rivals Milton United on Monday, could prove decisive.

"Reading are within our sights now and looking at their remaining fixtures, they have three tough games," said Ackling.

"I didn't put Reading into the equation a month ago, but their form gives us an opportunity to get out of trouble.

"You do get some strange results over the Easter period and I think we definitely need a minimum of three points out of our two games this weekend.

"Obviously I'd like to win both, because it would take a bit of pressure off us."

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